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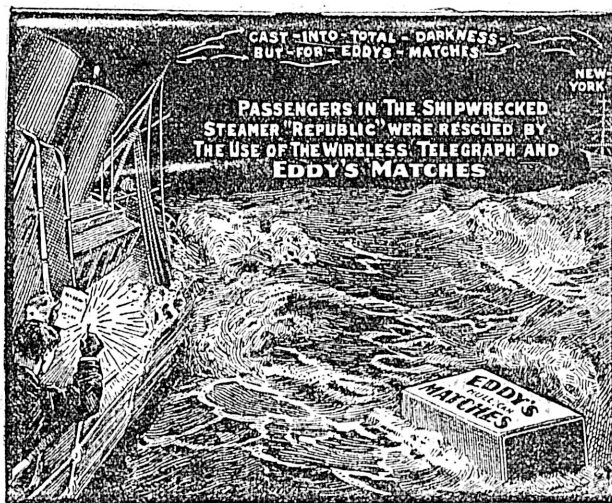
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## PATRONAGE FOR LOCAL CONCERNS

Alderman Stewart Urges Civic Contracts Should Go to Local Firms

That every encouragement should be given to local firms when contracts are awarded by the city was the contention made by Ald. Stewart last night when the report of the firewardens recommending the purchase from the Vancouver Rubber Company, of a hose, both the Canada Rubber Company, of fire hose, the Dunlop Company, of fire hose. The report recommended that 2,250 feet of hose be purchased from the first named company, 500 feet from the Canada Rubber Company and 250 from the Dunlop Company the latter supplying what is termed a double jacket hose. Both the Canada Rubber Company and the Dunlop Company have local agents, and Ald. Stewart urged that the order be split between the two. He claimed that it is a well known fact that all fire hose is really made in Boston, where the patents are held, and all the Canadian companies do is to put the rubber hose inside the casings. The council should look after the local people, and wherever possible place an order with them.

When informed by Ald. Fullerton that local representatives had not hitherto proved satisfactory, and that Chief Davis was strongly opposed to purchasing the Dunlop hose, as it would not be responsible for a double jacket hose which, besides being too heavy, and taking up too much space, has proved unsatisfactory in other ways. Ald. Stewart declared that ninety per cent. of the fire hose used in the United States is of the double jacket type, and if it proved good enough for the big departments on the other side of the boundary it would be satisfactory in Victoria.

Paragon or Otherwise  
Ald. Raymond could not understand why it was, if the Paragon hose, the kind heretofore found so satisfactory in Victoria, has been really as good as stated, that the fire wardens had not purchased all of that class, and not decided to take small lots of two different styles as in the present instance, which, though, so highly recommended by Chief Davis was not he understood the best that could be obtained.

"Then the fire chief doesn't know anything about his business. Is that it?" queried Alderman Humber.

Alderman Henderson and Alderman Mable pleaded ignorance of the fine points of fire hose but believed that Chief Davis, who has had long experience, should get what he wants, namely the Paragon hose.

Finally on Alderman Mable's suggestion the order was split, 1,000 feet to be ordered from each of the three concerns which, however, the council and boots will be ordered from the Vancouver Rubber company, the tender of which was the lowest and on the recommendation of Chief Davis, who states that the present order can be placed to do service this year, it was decided that no new truck is necessary but instead another fire engine, capable of pumping 750 imperial gallons per minute be purchased; tenders to be in by June 14.

Location of Engines.  
Alderman Fullerton, chairman of the fire wardens, stated that when the new engine arrives it is the intention to place one of the present engines in the Yates street hall and the other in Victoria West hall while the new engine will be stationed at the central hall and respond to alarms in the downtown section and James Bay.

Mrs. Pelletier, owner of property adjoining the property owned by the V. & S. Railway company on Blanchard street, where the company, under the contemplated new arrangement with the city, proposes to erect new sheds, appeared in person to urge that the city do not allow the company to place its terminals on Blanchard street. She urged that the presence of the depot will seriously affect the property values. Instead the city should proceed with its suit and force the company to carry out its contract. The depot, if located on Blanchard street would be maintained in no better condition than the market building, where the company's terminals are now located.

While Mrs. Pelletier got no definite promises from the council the mayor promised that the council will visit the Blanchard street site of the proposed new terminals and look into the situation.

## EDUCATIONISTS TO MEET HERE

(Continued From Page One.)  
university, Montreal; Comparison of General Methods of Instruction in Canada and the United States, H. S. Pritchett, president of the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, New York City.

2:00 p. m.: Meetings of departments—Elementary education department—(Assembly hall, 938 Fort street.) What is aimed at as an Elementary Education in Our Common Public Schools? presentation of the views of each province by representative educationists—Nova Scotia, A. H. MacKay, superintendent of education, Halifax; New Brunswick, W. S. Carter, inspector of schools, St. John; Quebec, Geo. W. Parmelee, secretary department of public instruction, Quebec; Ontario, R. H. Cowley, inspector of continuation classes, Toronto; Manitoba, S. E. Lang, Normal school, Winnipeg; Saskatchewan, Hon. J. A. Calder, minister of education, Regina; Alberta, A. Melville Scott, superintendent of city schools, Calgary; British Columbia, A. C. Stewart, inspector of schools, Vancouver.

Higher education department—(High school, corner Fernwood and Cadboro Bay roads.) The Teaching of Latin, Norman W. DeWitt, professor of Latin, Victoria College, Toronto; The Work of a State University, W. C. Murray, president Saskatchewan university, Saskatoon, Sask.; Inspection and training department (Cadboro Bay roads.)—(Pemberton—Pemberton gymnasium, High school grounds.) The Making of a Principal of Schools for the Small Town, B. J. Hales, Portage la Prairie, Man.; The Proper Conduct and Value of the Teachers' Institute, A. G. Macdonald, inspector of schools, Antigonish, N. S.; Industrial education department—(Manual Training centre, High school grounds.) Practical Demonstration of Manual Training, boys working at their benches.

8 p. m.: General meeting—(Assembly hall, 938 Fort street.) The Future of the Rural Schools, Jas. W. Robertson, principal Macdonald college, P. Q.; School Organization, Administration and Instruction, J. M. Greenwood,

superintendent of city schools, Kansas City, Mo.; music.

Friday, July 16  
9:30 a. m.: General closing meeting—(Assembly hall, 938 Fort street.) The Work of the British Science Guild, H. T. Barnes, professor of physics, McGill university, Montreal, P. Q.; resolutions; report of nominating committee; election of officers; closing business meeting of new board of directors.

Friday Afternoon  
Teachers' excursion (subject to change if satisfactory arrangements cannot be made as planned)—On one of the C. P. R. steamers, the Princess Charlotte or the Princess Victoria, among the beautiful islands of the Gulf of Georgia. Tickets will be presented to those holding D. E. A. membership cards.

Announcement of completed arrangements will be made at the opening meeting, on the afternoon of Tuesday, July 13th.

The board of directors for 1909 are as follows: President, Alexander Robinson, superintendent of education, Victoria, B. C.; vice-president, James W. Robertson, principal Macdonald college, Ste. Anne de Bellevue, P. Q.; general secretary, J. D. Buchanan, Normal school, Vancouver, B. C.; treasurer, William Scott, principal Normal school, Toronto, Ont.

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## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Rev. G. W. Ginty and wife arrived here tonight from Liverpool, Eng., and will make a stay at the King Edward.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Fluger, of Denver, Col., are registered at the King Edward.

Mr. H. E. Belfray, of Telegraph Creek, returned yesterday from Seattle and is at the King Edward hotel.

Mr. J. B. Paget arrived from Vancouver, and is putting up at the King Edward.

Mr. S. Tully, one of the Prince Rupert land buyers, is registered at the Dominion hotel.

Mr. G. A. Pellissier, an extensive cattle owner, is registered at the Dominion.

Mrs. C. W. Geiger was the hostess of Mrs. (Dr.) Baker, Vancouver, during the holidays, and accompanied her home. She will be Mrs. Geiger's guest for a fortnight.

All students, teachers and friends of the High school are reminded of the strawberry festival to be held today at Sea View Camp, Poul Bay, in aid of the Eaton memorial fund.

J. Fullerton, steamship agent, and C. Millard, ticket agent of the C. P. R., at Vancouver, arrived in the city yesterday to meet the steamer Empress of China, which is due to arrive here this morning from the Orient.

Capt. T. H. Worsnop, manager of the Canadian-Mexican S. S. company, has arrived from Vancouver to meet the steamer Georgia of the line which is due here. He is registered at the Empress hotel.

A party of sightseers from the Emerald Isle who are spending some time here with a view to locating permanently are: J. Hackett, Dublin; Michael Hackett, St. Kearns, and Edward N. Stagg, Clonlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert B. Gobhart, from Ottawa, are staying in town with friends. They intend leaving tomorrow for Seattle, where they will stay until after the opening of the Exposition there.

Mr. James Porter, of Winnipeg, who has been holidaying in Japan for some months, is expected to return to Victoria on Saturday on the incoming Empress. Mr. Porter has spent a year or more in Victoria for the benefit of his health, and has many warm friends.

The members of the Arctic Brotherhood who visited Victoria last autumn have issued invitations to the ladies of Victoria who assisted in entertaining them during their visit to the city to be present at the opening of the Arctic Brotherhood Building, Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, on Wednesday, June 2nd.

An interesting marriage took place in the bishop's palace on View street on Thursday night, when Col. St. J. Carleton Wat was wedded to Mrs. Marcelle Cecile Grace Farrington, daughter of Mr. Michael Grace of Montreal. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Brabant. The bride looked very attractive, dressed in a gown and robe of rich brown silk and a large black picture hat.

Mr. and Miss Brown, from London, England, sailed on Friday, May 21st, by the Empress of Ireland for Canada. They will stop at Quebec, Montreal, and Ottawa en route for Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, where they will visit Mr. Brown's sons, who reside there. They will then come on to Victoria with which they were charmed when they visited it two years ago. They will break their journey at Banff, Calgary and Revelstoke en route for the Coast.

Mrs. Hickman-Tye was hostess at a smart bridge tea at her residence in Douglas street on Thursday afternoon. The decorations were charming, carried out in lilacs, lilies and other spring flowers, while the tea table was most artistically arranged with yellow tulips. The guests included the following: Mrs. Blackwood, Mrs. Stuart Robertson, Mrs. J. Raymur, Mrs. Love, Mrs. Gaur, Mrs. Tuck, Mrs. Coles, Mrs. C. E. Pooley, Mrs. Plummerfelt, Mrs. Ker, Mrs. Little, Mrs. McCallum, Mrs. Englehardt, Mrs. Streetfield, Mrs. Freeman, Mrs. Rithet, Mrs. Fred Jones, Mrs. Herman Robertson, Mrs. Heyland, Mrs. C. Todd, Mrs. C. A. Brett, and Mrs. Wark. The first prize, a very handsome brass bowl, was won by Mrs. Love. The second prize, a beautiful brass kettle, by Mrs. C. Todd; and the consolation prize, a pretty silver and brass powder box, by Mrs. C. E. Pooley.

The conduct of our lives is the true mirror of our principles.—Montaigne.

## ENGINEER WILL HAVE THE SAY

On His Shoulders Will Rest Responsibility for Street Pavements

The Gordian knot has been severed. Hereafter the mayor and council will worry no more about pavements nor grow grey headed in the effort to satisfy the many and varied whims which property owners, seeking street improvements, have shown of late. Upon the back of the city engineer will rest the responsibility of choosing the class of pavement which shall be laid. While the council will reserve to itself the right to decide whether a street shall be permanently paved, it is up to the engineer to decide upon the material with which such street shall be constructed.

Last night's discussion at the regular meeting of the streets, bridges, and sewers committee turned almost wholly upon the pavement question. Most of the old arguments were rehearsed, the only feature being the announcement made by Alderman Stewart, hitherto a strong advocate of vitrified brick, that he has been converted to the Hassan pavement.

Assessor Does It.

The perennial question of street paving was brought to the fore by a report of the city assessor on the petition which owners on that thoroughfare have put in protesting against the paving with bitulith of the street between Humboldt street and Flisguard street. The adverse petition has been signed by twenty-three owners representing an assessed value of \$905,020, while those owners who did not sign the petition number but eleven and represent a value of \$175,900. The property owners in turning down the bitulith pavement expressed their desire that Hassan pavement be laid, and Alderman Stewart, in referring to a visit made by a Victorian to Portland, where the latter had looked into the paving question, stated that a sample of the Hassan pavement had been brought back.

This sample impressed Alderman Stewart most favorably, the cement being well mixed throughout. He believed that the proper course would be to have a piece of each style of pavement laid, so that a thorough test could be made of each. If the Hassan pavement can be put down in Victoria as well as that from which the sample was taken was laid in Portland, he would be fully in favor of having some of that pavement here.

Would Experiment.

The suggestion of a trial of each class of pavement was approved by the mayor, who, however, urged that only a small piece of each be laid, and not a leading thoroughfare, such as Douglas street, be paved, as such an experiment would prove too costly. At the same time, the mayor gave it as his opinion that the majority of the ratepayers of Victoria are in favor of wood blocks. The city has the plant for cross-slicing blocks and a first-class pavement of that material can be laid. When Alderman Raymond pointed out that owners on Pandora avenue, which the council decided should be paved with wood blocks, are now asking for granitoid, Mayor Hall declared that it is an easy matter for anyone to get a petition. By the time the agents of the paving companies get through with the owners the latter don't really know what they want. There is only one course, the mayor declared, to follow. Let the engineer decide which pavement is the best for the street to be paved, and proceed with the work.

This suggestion was greeted with delight by Alderman Turner, who declared that the engineer should be allowed to say what pavement shall be put on Douglas street.

"I'm with you," stated Alderman Stewart, who urged that not a single alderman should endeavor to influence the engineer in his choice.

Up to Engineer

"If people bother him he can throw them down stairs or call for a policeman," continued Ald. Stewart, a remark which did not appear to tickle the fancy of the city engineer, who was present.

It was pointed out by Ald. Henderson that while the choice of pavement should be left with the engineer, that official should not be supposed to determine on the paving of a street until the council had approved of the work. It was also pointed out that if the engineer decided upon a certain class of pavement which the owners did not want, the latter were always in the position to petition against the work. The great point made, however, was that the responsibility will be taken from off the shoulders of the council and shifted to the engineer.

The proposal to pave Cormorant street from Douglas street to Store street with granitoid, was amended by cutting out that portion from Douglas street to Government street. The owners west of Government street are willing to have some of the thoroughfare paved, but those east of Government street object on the grounds that with the pavement on Government street, and the proposed pavement on Pandora street they will be called upon to pay three assessments. Accordingly it was decided to drop the Douglas street to Government street part of the proposition.

Objects to Location

The suggestion to locate the new incinerator for the destruction of garbage, at the foot of Herald street, instead of at the foot of Telegraph street (as at present, in order to permit of a larger furnace, and do away with the dirt now experienced as well as the danger to the electric lighting plant from fire, was opposed by City Electrician Hutchinson, who urged that while the inconvenience from the present furnace is bad enough it would be worse were the incinerator to be built at the north end of the new wharf now being constructed. A committee consisting of Ald. Turner and Raymond together with the engineer and electrician, was appointed to consider the matter and arrange for a convenient site.

A large number of routine matters were disposed of in record time, and the meeting concluded at an hour much earlier than usual.

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## AUGUST HEINZE IN CONTEMPT

Refuses to Produce Books of United Copper Company - When Ordered

DIRECTORS ARE HALED BEFORE THE COURT

Further Proceedings May Result in Heinze Being Imprisoned

New York, May 28.—The federal grand jury investigation of F. August Heinze in connection with the alleged misappropriation of the funds of the Mercantile National bank took a sensational turn today, when United States District Attorney Wise applied to and secured from Federal Judge Lacombe an order directing certain directors of the United Copper Company to produce the full and complete books of that concern in court forthwith or be declared in contempt. The directors named, Sanford Robinson, Carter Glass, Wm. J. Curtis and Horace A. Bell, reported to the court this afternoon, the time set by the judge, that they were unable to comply with the court's order, as Mr. Heinze, the president of the United Copper Company, had refused to give them the books or tell where they were, giving as his reason that he was under indictment and further investigation, but that they would make every effort to get into the company's vaults and search for the books. The directors also told the court that they had called a special meeting to take place five days hence, when Heinze and Secretary-Treasurer Clifford, who, it is alleged has fled to Europe, would be deposed from their official position with the company.

Heinze, the directors stated, had also told them that Clifford had taken the minute books with him to Europe. Frederick Eckstein, the assistant secretary and treasurer of the company, included in the court order, said he knew the combination of the vaults, and was ready to aid in endeavoring to secure the books.

Judge Lacombe, at the time for the directors to report in court again, added: "The court appreciates the honest efforts of the directors to get out of the scrape they were unfortunate in getting associated with by a man who is too terrified to allow the books to be examined. As long as the books are on earth, and have not been burned, an effort must be made to produce them."

The mutilation of books of a corporation, charged by United States District Attorney Wise when he produced the order for their production, is a crime under the state law, and the matter will be called to the attention of District Attorney Jerome. The federal statutes cover the removal of books, and under them such an act may be construed as grand larceny.

The directors involved, Mr. Eckstein, Assistant Attorney Smith and two deputies, went to the United Copper Company's offices on Broadway tonight to hunt for the books. A. August Heinze had gone, but Assistant Treasurer Eckstein readily opened the vaults. He stepped inside, turned on a light, and then exclaimed: "They are not here." The intruders, however, found some books other than those called for in the subpoena, and these were placed in charge of a United States marshal.

United States District Attorney Wise was indignant tonight over the manner in which the United States court and his office had been flouted by Heinze, as he expressed it. He referred to it as a "hold-up," and added: "They are getting a different idea of the way things may be done in this jurisdiction these days. They thought in this case that they could take their offices and ship them abroad on a train for Canada, and tell us they would not have the books because they might be incriminated, but we established a precedent by the grand jury. Judge Lacombe is to order a meeting of the board of directors forthwith. In all the experience that I have had since I have been here, this piece of work is the most damnable that I have ever heard of."

In applying for the order the district attorney stated that in the investigation of Mr. Heinze's case an examination of the United Copper Company's books had been found advisable, because, he alleged, Heinze had been discounting notes of his brother, Otto at the Mercantile bank to manipulate a pool in United Copper. The district attorney's representatives had been allowed to inspect them at the company's office. Mr. Wise told the court that before the examination had been completed, 18 or 20 pages were found to have been torn from the books. The directors named were called before the grand jury today, but the district attorney stated that they were unable to give the information desired. Mr. Wise said that the grand jury had unanimously recommended that they all be punished for contempt. "I have subpoenaed every one of these directors that I could reach before the grand jury today," Mr. Wise declared, "and they have all shown themselves dummies in the hands of F. August Heinze. This man Heinze thinks he can send away these men and hold the books himself, so that he can refuse to produce them himself, on the ground that they would incriminate him. I had Mr. Heinze before the grand jury today, but did not put him under oath, because I did not want to give immunity."

Mr. Wise declared that his efforts to get the desired facts from the company's books had been met with "fraud, perjury and forgery."

### SCHOOLBOY DETECTIVES

Three Small Lads May Have Credit of Running Omaha Train Robbers to Earth

Omaha, Neb., May 28.—Fred Torkenson and W. D. Woods, were tonight identified by Engineer Mike John and Fireman Praxley as the men who crawled over the tender of their locomotive on Saturday night last and forced them to stop the Union Pacific Overland Limited at the Omaha city

limits, and robbed the mail car. Several school children also identified all the prisoners as men they had seen in the vicinity of the Brown Park school on Sunday and Monday. Three small schoolboys yesterday bragged about the arrest of three men believed to be the robbers. To these three boys and their teacher, probably the \$15,000 reward offered by the railway, if the men prove to be the ones wanted, will be paid.

When the schoolboys found yesterday hidden on the banks of the Missouri river, revolvers, lights and other material used by the robbers they told their teacher, Mrs. Freeman. She advised the police, and detectives after a thirty hour vigil last night arrested the three men now in custody.

Following the arrest near the school house, scores of detectives today began a search for future evidence. Mrs. Freeman, noticing that a ladder used for reaching the attic of the school building had been misplaced, decided that the attic of the school building had been used as a lair. Lanterns were procured and two men went into the attic, where they found eight red leather mail sacks, two rain coats, and a pair of overalls. The police were called. The examination showed that every letter and package had been torn open, the contents of value removed and the letters stuck back in the envelopes.

### At Aged Women's Home

Happy old ladies and kind, interested visitors, spent a pleasant afternoon together yesterday. The Aged Women's Home was very tastefully decorated with lilacs, pansies and other flowers of early summer and the tables were laden with dainties prepared by the good housekeeper of the First Presbyterian church. The rooms were filled all afternoon as tea and ice cream were served, and it is safe to say that the grounds on Collinson street will very soon be protected by a neat fence. Songs, reading and instrumental music added to the pleasure of the aged ladies as well as to the younger people who former the audience. Mrs. Lamont, Miss Wilkerson, Mr. Morrison, Mr. J. G. Brown sang, Miss Marguerite Evans and Miss Lawson read, Miss Thelin played a solo and Mrs. Lewis Hall, Miss Harris and Miss McTavish accompanied the singers.

### FISHERY REGULATIONS

Professors Jordan and Prince Meet at Washington to Complete Their Work

Washington, May 28.—Commissioners and counsel, operating under the treaty between Great Britain and the United States providing for the adoption of uniform and effective measures for the protection of the food fishes in the waters contiguous to the United States and Canada, met here today at the state department. Professor David Starr Jordan is the United States, and Professor Edward F. Prince the Canadian commissioner, while C. P. Anderson is legal adviser on the part of this government, and N. S. Gislbourne on the part of Canada. The commissioners have been at work for about a year and have completed a set of regulations to govern fishing which, it is expected by both governments, will go far towards protecting and preserving the fish and will avoid friction and strife. Despatches from Canada have intimated that the agreement reached by the commissioners is in the main satisfactory to that government. As soon as accepted by both governments it will be proclaimed.

### TURKEY INVITES JEWS

President of Parliament Promises Good Treatment to All Who Choose to Immigrate

New York, May 28.—According to a cable despatch from Constantinople to the Jewish Morning Journal, Ahmed Riza, president of the Turkish parliament, has visited the Haham Bafli, the spiritual head of the Jews in Turkey, and on behalf of the government extended an invitation to the Jews of Russia and Roumania to immigrate to Turkey. As proof that Turkey was acting in good faith, Ahmed Riza informed the Haham Bafli that the government would abolish all restrictions against Jewish immigration, and what is still more significant, would confer full citizenship upon Jewish immigrants immediately upon their arrival in Turkey.

### Barristers' Fees

New Westminster, May 28.—The grand jury today suggested to Justice Irving the advisability of some kind of legislation whereby barristers would be prevented from charging excessive fees to clients.

### Building to Spokane

Spokane, May 28.—The Spokane and British Columbia railway is preparing to build into this city from Grand Forks, B.C. Right of way deeds were at line along the south bank of the Spokane river have been filed here. The proposed line will be about 100 miles long.

### Deadman's Island Struggle

Vancouver, May 28.—The city this afternoon took possession of Deadman's island, despite protests of Theo. Ludgate's concessionaires, who intended building a big amusement park there. Two police officers accompanied city workmen to the island. The workmen have been busy but a short time when Ludgate's men ordered them off. It started to rain just then, and both sides declared a truce. Open hostilities may be resumed tomorrow.

### Turkey's Reformation.

Constantinople, May 28.—A number of ministers and other high functionaries of the late regime, who have been confined on the island of Prinkipo, have been deported to other islands in the sea of Marmora. An imperial hut will be read tomorrow at the trial of the war and marine, setting forth that the sultan, in accordance with the terms of the constitution, is the supreme commander of the army and of the navy. The sultan has offered personally to defray the cost of writing a national history of Turkey.

### Noted French Painter Dead

Paris, May 28.—Guillaume Dubufe, the noted painter, died today. He was born in 1853. M. Dubufe was an officer of the Legion of Honor and received decorations from many countries. He was secretary-treasurer of the Societe des Beaux Arts, president of the Societe des Aquellistes Francaises, and an honorary president of the Societe des Decorateurs. M. Dubufe painted the mural decorations of the French building at the St. Louis exposition. The principal panel represented the apotheosis of Victor Hugo.

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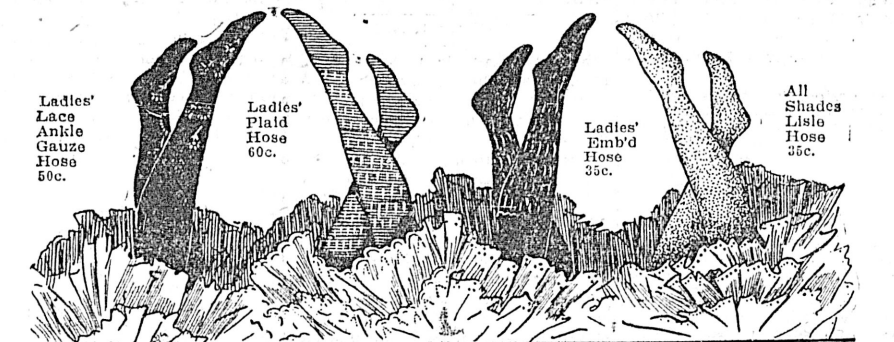
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### A POLITICAL RUMOR

There appears to be a rumor in circulation in Ottawa that Sir Wilfrid Laurier is contemplating retirement from political life. The London Free Press says:

It is understood in Ottawa political circles that the prime minister contemplates retirement from active parliamentary life. Weariness of the strain is said to lie behind this determination.

To this may be added the following from the Mail and Empire:

The report that Sir Wilfrid Laurier will shortly retire from public office is not improbable. That gentleman is now sixty-eight years of age, and at this period of his life the desire for rest must be strong. Moreover, the vicissitudes of public career are very numerous and those of Sir Wilfrid are particularly oppressive. Multitudinous questions force themselves upon the man who holds the position of First Minister, and it requires physical as well as mental strength to deal with them.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in the course of his speeches during the last campaign, intimated his intention to retire before another election. If the present parliament lasts out its time, the Prime Minister will be seventy-two years of age when the next election comes on, and he will have been in power seventeen years. If he should determine to seek otium cum dignitate, we are sure no one would feel any surprise, and if he contemplates retirement, it is only reasonable to suppose that he will not delay until just previous to a dissolution, but will give his successor time to get his feet under him. We give the rumor for what it is worth. There are some things which make it seem not by any means improbable. We do not believe his retirement would be regarded with unmixed satisfaction even by the Conservative party. Politically, they would realize that the great strength of their opponents would be gone, but as Canadians they would not rejoice to see such a figure disappear from public life. Whether he retires or not, he will always remain in the public mind as one of the strongest and most picturesque figures in our history.

### A NEW ELDORADO

The Great West, a New York publication, is of the opinion that what is predicted will be the greatest rush of miners in the history of Canada is expected to begin early in May to the region west of Hudson Bay as a result of the preliminary report made by Inspector Pelletier, of the Northwest Mounted Police, after a ten months' patrol, with a force of ten men through that land of mystery.

The Great West adds:

The party returned to Winnipeg in March, after they had been given up for lost, and so carried on the roster of "the men in red." Enduring the most rigorous hardships in which two of the force lost their lives from exposure or accident, the party made a thorough investigation on the surface and Inspector Pelletier declared that he found the entire section covered by exceedingly rich in metals—gold, silver, copper and iron in apparently rich exhaustible quantities. His formal report is in course of preparation. When it is made a careful compilation will be made for The Great West and published with photographs of the section.

It is obtainable. There is only one drawback to the development of this mineral field—the lack of transportation. This will be speedily remedied, however, as within the next month the Grand Trunk Pacific will begin the construction of its branch line northward from Melville, in the province of Saskatchewan, to Port Churchill on the southwestern shore of Hudson Bay. This road traverses the mineralized district, and as it is to be built largely with the assistance of the Canadian government it will doubtless be pushed to an early completion. To judge from the rapidity with which the main line has been constructed and the policy of the managers of the company, the branch should be completed to the bay in a year and a half, giving a market for the ore of the new district by the opening of traffic in 1911.

These are facts which are calculated to challenge the attention of the world. We had a map in the Colonist last week in which the limits of what are called the Barren Lands are shown. Barren these lands may be for the most part, so far as vegetation is concerned, but in a mineral sense it seems that they may be proved to be among the richest in the world. The Hudson Bay railway appears likely to prove something very much more than a summer outlet for a part of Canada's wheat product. It may become a great avenue of traffic from mines which may employ tens of thousands of people. Truly the wonders of Canada are great, and have been long unknown. A quarter of a century ago the man, who would have suggested that the northern half of Canada would ever be anything more than a place on the map, would have been laughed at by every one, except a few pioneers. One of the amusing things in the history of the

Dominion is the manner in which the few remaining copies of Dr. Schultze's Senate Committee's report are being dug out of lumber rooms and given to the world. When that report was made, and it was only some twenty years ago, it was regarded by wiseacres as the most astonishing piece of fiction that had yet seen print. The Canadian government tried to forget all about it, for to speak of it was to incur ridicule. We recall the case of the editor of a very prominent British publication, who, returning an article compiled in part from that report, said: "It is not true. We have been in Canada and we know," and of the head of the United States Department of Statistics, who told the editor of a prominent United States monthly that he could not accept the statements in the report as true. The magazine editor published the article submitted to the Department with an apologetic foot-note, and if he ever refers to it now he must realize that he had a "scoop" upon all his then contemporaries.

### THE BY-LAWS

Not many people took the trouble to vote on the by-laws day before yesterday. We suppose the reason was that they did not think about it. We feel a little to blame ourselves, for we neglected to urge the ratepayers to put in an appearance at the polls. The only excuse is the holiday, and this was perhaps why so many citizens failed to deposit their ballots. Now let no evil-minded individual read into this something that is not intended; we are only trying to discover why more interest was not displayed in what were really important matters. As it happened the public indifference did not lead to unfortunate results. The money has been voted and the necessary work will go on. We think we ought to congratulate Mayor Hall and his associates on the aldermanic board upon the manner in which the ratepayers have met every request on their part for funds. It is an expression of confidence which is well deserved. We say this although we have scolded them and intend to scold them more about the way they permit the streets to be littered with all kinds of rubbish.

The extraordinary thing about Thursday's vote is that any one should have felt called upon to oppose the borrowing of money for the completion of the sewerage system or for the necessary extension of the water system. We remember asking why this was on a former occasion, and at least one of those who voted against a by-law gave us his reason. It had something to do with the system of taxation. It would be interesting to know why some ratepayers opposed such necessary by-laws as those submitted on Thursday. If any of those who did so, will give us their reasons in confidence, we shall feel obliged, will respect the confidence, but make the reasons known, for the general benefit. If there is something wrong in completing the sewerage system and extending the water supply, we are sure every one would like to know what it is.

### TOPOGRAPHICAL SURVEY

It is understood that Mr. R. H. Chapman, who is now in the city, is to undertake a topographical survey of Vancouver Island. We assume, although we are not so informed, that he does so in connection with the geological survey. It is very certain that without a topographical survey a geological survey may be very misleading. That was found to be the case in regard to the geological survey of Ontario. When the observations of the geologists came to be placed on the map it was found that they did not fit. For many reasons a reliable topographical map of Vancouver Island is very desirable, and if one is to be made because of any action on the part of the Minister of Mines, Mr. William Templeman, the Colonist has no desire to withhold from him an expression of appreciation.

A topographical survey is not nearly as easy a thing as it looks. One of the first things to secure is a starting point, and it is uncertain if any such point exists on the Island. Of course there are any number of points where a survey might be begun, but the thing is to start from a point the position of which in relation to points on the Continent has been accurately fixed. Every one will appreciate the importance of knowing definitely where some point is from which a survey can be begun. We suppose that it will be Mr. Chapman's first duty to determine such a point. The topographical examination of the Island will be difficult and we suppose very tedious work. It cannot be completed in a summer, or in several summers, if it is to be at all thorough, and unless it is to be thorough, there would be no justification for beginning it. One hardly ever talks with a timber cruiser of any experience, with a map before him, without hearing him say, "This map's all wrong." There is really no reason why it should be right, because no systematic survey has ever been attempted. We are very glad to know that the work is to be undertaken now.

### FARMS AND TIMBER

Is it wholly unreasonable for the Colonist to ask contemporaries, which do it the honor of referring to its observations to quote what it says correctly. We are represented as having said that "there is not so much land in British Columbia available for settlement after all." Now Colonist readers know perfectly well that we said nothing of the kind. We suggested that an effort ought to be made to find

out how much land is available for settlement on Vancouver Island exclusive of any that may be within timber limits and that regulations should be made whereby land within such limits could be made available to settlers. We are very far from thinking that a piece of well timbered land should be thrown open to settlement except under such conditions as would secure the utilization of the timber commercially. We have in mind a certain tract of land within the E. & N. domain. It is splendidly timbered, and the cruisers' reports say that a large part of it is excellent farming land. It would be a little short of criminal to destroy that timber for the sake of getting settlers upon the land, and of course the owners of it would not think of permitting such a thing. So with crown lands. The government would be culpable if it permitted settlers to slaughter timber indiscriminately and endanger vast forests, which will never be utilized for agriculture. It would be rank folly to talk one day about devising plans for the preservation of our forest wealth, and the next day clamor for room to be made in the timbered areas for settlers. But there is a middle ground, which we hope can be safely taken. It may be possible to devise regulations whereby such timber lands, as it might be advisable to open to settlers can be logged off. As we have already said, the question is a very difficult one to handle, and it is certainly not a political question. It is a matter of practical business, in which the development of Vancouver Island may be involved to a very considerable degree. Its solution will not be helped by misrepresentation or by the introduction into the discussion of political spleen.

Our good Presbyterian friends in the United States have solemnly resolved that men ought not to smoke. This decision may relate both to this world and the next.

The Montreal Herald says: "The first session of the new Parliament did very little but transact business." Our contemporary omits to add whether it is pleased or sorry.

Calgary is a lucky town. Not only does it lie between the greatest irrigable area on the North American Continent and the greatest pasture lands but it needs must have a supply of natural gas. If Calgary requires anything else, will it please ask for it, so that the rest of us may know when we will have a chance of being served?

Will some one, who has some authority in such matters, be good enough to look at the condition in which the city workmen have left that part of Herald street, which lies between Government and Douglas streets? If any citizens want an illustration of what municipal slovenliness means they can find it there.

The successful flotation of the million-dollar bond issue by the Grand Trunk Pacific, the issue being guaranteed by the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan, is very encouraging news. It proves the confidence of British investors in the future of the Prairie country. From what is known of the region which the lines to be built with this money will open up, one is safe in saying that the guaranteeing provinces will never be out a single dollar, while the financing of the company's branches has been rendered easy.

The removal of Hibben & Co. to the west side of Government street, and the extension of the premises occupied by the Messrs. Young so as to include those, at present occupied by the Hibbens, will be a change which it will take Victorians some time to get used to. It was only reasonable to expect that the stationery house would wish to occupy its own premises, and it is in keeping with the development of its business that the dry-goods house should take the first opportunity that offered to get more room. These indications of the growing prosperity of Victoria are very gratifying, and the Colonist congratulates those directly concerned in them.

Whether or not the articles in the Colonist in regard to street car traffic were written in consequence of the accident on the Fort street line is neither here nor there. The Colonist comments upon public matters when and how it thinks necessary. The articles were not comments on the accident; but even if they were it would not have been necessary to withhold them until after the inquest. We do not propose to abstain from discharging a public duty because some one may think some other time than we have chosen would be better to speak upon any subject. In regard to street car traffic the time to speak of it is when the people are thinking about it, not when they are concerned with something else. We are not making any complaint because of any criticism. Day after day for a good many years the Colonist has endeavored to deal with public questions as they arise, and while they are fresh in the public mind. Day after day it endeavors to direct public thought along lines by which the public good can, in its opinion, be served. It makes no pretence to being always right. Doubtless it makes its share of mistakes; but it never carps at others who endeavor to pursue a similar course, and it will not be turned from what it regards as its duty by the carping of any one else. Moreover, it is ever on the alert to endorse any proposals for the public welfare made by its contemporaries, and its only regret is that it is not able to do so oftener. The Colonist has even ventured to think that its contemporaries might sometimes find themselves in accord with its views for the development of Victoria and Vancouver Island; but apparently they are not.



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In the Drawing room, mahogany furniture has also been used, the chairs and settee being upholstered in our own workrooms. The table and the music cabinet are the special features of this room.

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This morning the provincial police received a cablegram from the relatives of the missing man, who are people of good family resident at Glastonberry, Eng., asking them to make every possible effort to locate Randolph. In order that the search might be stimulated they announced that they would give \$20 to the party or parties who were able to give them information that would lead to his detection.

Randolph lived for ten years at Shawnigan Lake. He had a small hut there and was well known by the majority of Victorians who are in the habit of spending their holidays at that resort. The other day he was missed and, although search parties have been out almost every day since, no clue has been found indicative of his fate.

### MYSTERIOUS MALADY

Portland Children Succumb to Disease  
Which Doctors Say They  
Cannot Identify

Portland, Ore., May 28.—A mysterious disease that is baffling medical skill has caused the deaths of two children looked for. Last Sunday the ten-year-old daughter of James Killduff, was suddenly taken ill and died a few hours later.

In reporting the case to Health Officer Pohl, the attending physician confessed absolute ignorance of the cause of death. On Monday a younger daughter aged four years also taken ill with the same mysterious malady and succumbed on Tuesday. An autopsy was held on the body of the child and cerebro-spinal meningitis looked for. The cultures taken were, however, shown to be negative.

A third mysterious death occurred yesterday but as the case has not been reported Dr. Pohl refused, because of professional ethics to discuss the case.

### TAFT WILL FOLLOW POLICY OF TEDDY

New York Banker Says William Will  
Not Let Roosevelt Become a  
Dead Letter

New York, May 27.—"President Taft will voice into your laws what Roosevelt voiced into the nation's heart. These, therefore who are so mistaken as to suppose that President Roosevelt's policies and moral principles may become a dead letter in this administration will be undeceived. They will discover that President Taft is not reactionary but progressive."

This prediction was made by Henry Clews, the New York banker in an address at the services dedicatory of the Roosevelt memorial window at the Metropolitan Temple in this city. The service began last Sunday and has been continued throughout the week with prominent speakers each night.

### NEGOTIATIONS FOR A CUSTOMS UNION

Servia and Bulgaria Try to Reach  
Agreement at Instance of  
Russia

Vienna, May 28.—Private reports received here assert that Servo-Bulgarian negotiations respecting a Customs Union are proceeding, and have been undertaken by the desire of Russia.

These pourparlers, it is also asserted, are the real reason why the Austro-Hungarian proposals for a commercial treaty have not been accepted. On the other hand, it is reported that Bulgaria will throw difficulties in the way of a Customs Union. The earliest date for such a union on account of the various technical customs difficulties, and also owing to the present commercial treaties concluded by Bulgaria and Servia, would be 1917.

### FIRE HAS BURNED FOR FIFTY YEARS

Hundreds of Thousands of Dollars  
Spent in Effort to Extinguish  
Long-Lived Blaze

Tamaqua, Pa., May 28.—Despite the fact that hundreds of thousands of dollars have been spent in an endeavor to extinguish the fire burning for 50 years in the Lehigh Canal and Navigation Company's coal mine at Summit Hill the fire is spreading toward the Spring Tunnel workings and 30 of the Reading Company's carpenters and masons were sent from the Ashland district to aid in erecting concrete walls to check the spread of the flames. Sulphur abounds in the sunken shafts and the work is dangerous. It may be necessary to fill the shafts with water in order to continue the battle against the spread of the fire.

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Berlin, May 28.—Berlin's "one-kitchen houses," in which scores of families living in the same building were to be supplied with meals from a central cooking establishment are in difficulties after a brief career of a few months.

## VICTORIA-THEATRE

SUMMER SEASON 1909.

MATINEE TODAY AND TONIGHT

Commencing Monday, May 31st, the Funniest of All Comedies

LAST TIME "CAPTAIN SWIFT"

"A NIGHT OFF"

Two houses were in existence and two others in course of construction. According to the "Tageblatt" the families of dwellers in these Utopian palaces have had to content themselves with Spartan fare, because the creditors of the proprietary company gradually despoiled the buildings of almost everything which was not nailed down. A gang of laborers who were getting anxious about their wages recently raided one of the model kitchens and took possession of all the provisions.

### HAND THE JURY LIST OF QUESTIONS

Great Anarchist Trial at Lucca  
Comes to Dramatic  
Ending

Milan, May 28.—The great anarchist trial at Lucca met with an unexpected and dramatic ending a few days ago. The Crown prosecutor's case broke down on several important counts.

The presiding judge thereupon handed the jury a budget of 512 questions for consideration and bade them retire. A verdict favorable to the prisoners was the result, and all the fifty-nine accused anarchists have been acquitted.

There are enthusiastic rejoicings among the peasantry everywhere in the province of Parma, where the fatal strike riots which led to these charges occurred.

### METCHOSIN PEOPLE MAKE COMPLAINT

Allege That Gravel Concern Is Spoiling  
Scenic Drive Along  
Shore

Complaints are being made by the residents of Metchosin district to the effect that a certain gravel concern which is operating the hydraulic of sand and gravel, at Albert Head, is steadily washing away the bank from the shore towards the government road which runs through their property. At present the bank is about 300 feet in height and is now within 30 feet of the road; the outcome being that within a very short time it will cave in, which may result in a serious accident. A fence has been built along this dangerous spot to ensure the safety of vehicular traffic.

It is understood that the company intend to interview the government with a view of changing this scenic drive way to the rear of the complainant's property and thus spoiling the most beautiful drive in the district.

### Cameron Inquest Today.

The investigation as to the cause of the death of Ian Cameron, who was killed by a car on Fort street, opened at 2.30 this afternoon in the police court. A number of witnesses were examined. It was decided by the jury last Monday that the inquest would not be held until today so that all the evidence possible could be secured to investigate the circumstances of the boy's death.

### He Is For Abdul Hamid

Berlin, May 28.—Dr. Joseph Kohler, Professor of Jurisprudence at Berlin University, denies the right of the Turkish Government to confiscate the property of the ex-Sultan Abdul Hamid which is deposited in European banks. Such a right of confiscation, he states, does not extend beyond the territory of the Government exercising it.

### Used to Run Sawmill

The donkey engine salvaged from the wrecked schooner Sequel at Seabird rocks is being used to supply power to the sawmill at Clayoquot. Mr. Wingham, who runs the sawmill, recently accompanied by two others, made their way to the wreck, where they were marooned for a couple of days. When the weather calmed, after plugging the donkey engine, they towed it ashore, and brought it to Clayoquot.

### Big Passenger List

Aboard the Canadian - Australian liner Makura, which is due to arrive here on Tuesday are 450 passengers from different points in the South Seas. The recent trip of the Makura may be her last on the Canadian-Australian route, as it is understood that the company is considering the advisability of taking off both her and the Manuka owing to the steamship concern's inability to get an increased subsidy.

### AT THE CITY HOTELS

At the Empress—

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Fullerton, Vancouver.

E. E. Beharrell, Portland.

C. H. Baird, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Dun, Vancouver.

E. E. D. Clarke, Australia.

E. Hughes, Seattle.

E. F. Bingham, New York.

W. C. Hendrick, Seattle.

Thomas Davis, Vancouver.

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Mrs. D. J. Davis, Chicago.

J. Landeman Allan, Liverpool.

G. Taylor, Seattle.

Osborne Plukett, Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. John Webster, Frederikton, N. B.

H. J. Maguire, Vancouver.

A. Kocherscherdt, Seattle.

C. Millard, Vancouver.

Ed. L. Scribe, Seattle.

Fred T. Crumwell, Vancouver.

J. M. Curley, Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Alvensleben, Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Singleton Wise, Buzan Bay.

At the Driland—

W. N. Bellinger, San Francisco.

W. J. Mayhew, Vancouver.

J. Hutchinson, Cowichan.

Mrs. Dieppe, Seattle.

H. H. Bishop, Vancouver.

Paul White, Vancouver.

R. McVigil, Vancouver.

H. W. Dunn, Calgary.

A. R. Forbes, Seattle.

J. A. McKinnon, Seattle.

L. W. Carter, Seattle.

R. H. Matthews, Winnipeg.

C. A. Robinson, Vancouver.

J. W. McArthur, Seattle.

G. H. Morlock, Seattle.

W. C. Cline, Seattle.

F. H. Cunningham, Ottawa.

Robt. Nicholson, Montreal.

Don Darrach, Montreal.

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(Signed) A. J. BRACE,  
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Steel Ranges.—Call and inspect our large and unrivalled stock. Clarke & Pearson, 541 Yates street.

Kingsford board of trade is complaining for a larger Welland canal.

## NEWS OF THE CITY

### Supplies for Lighting Service

The city is calling for tenders for 20,000 carbons for use in the electric street lighting system. Tenders must be in at 4 o'clock on the afternoon of June 14.

### Will Erect Dwellings

Building permits were issued yesterday by the building inspector to T. E. Towne Smith, for a cottage to be erected on Crescent street, to cost \$300; to J. L. Hornbrook, for a dwelling on Alpha street, to cost \$1,000, and to Mrs. Richard L. Wright for a dwelling on Cowichan street to cost \$300.

### Tenders Too High

The Provincial government have decided not to proceed with the construction of the proposed new public school at Prince Rupert. Tenders were called for but the figures proved higher than expected and so it has been decided to continue with available facilities, augmenting the accommodation if necessary.

### White Swan Ready

Roy Troupe's new excursion steamer the White Swan flyer starts on her regular summer schedule today. She leaves the Causeway at 1 p. m. for the Gorge and every hour thereafter. The boat made trips on Saturday and Monday last, but the balance of the week has been spent in completing her fittings.

### Robertson Still Missing

No trace has as yet been found of George Robertson, who disappeared a week ago today from the home of his brother, James Robertson, Simcoe street. From the fact that the latter owns a boat stationed near Porters wharf, it is supposed that the missing man, who was subject to fits, might have been in the boat and fallen out. The harbor in the vicinity has been dragged but without result.

### Real Estate Moving

The proceedings in chambers yesterday afternoon afforded a good indication of the movement in real estate just now. There were no less than four applications for leave to file plans of new subdivisions of city property made to the chief justice. Such applications are now of almost daily occurrence as new residential subdivisions are put on the market. There were a number of other formal applications.

### Tourist Season Opens

That the summer tourist season has already started in Victoria is evidenced by the large number of arrivals at the local hotels. During the few days succeeding the holidays there was a marked falling off in the influx of visitors to the city. The number arriving showed a big increase yesterday and the different hotels are a unit in the belief that what promises to be a record tourist season has already commenced.

### Gets Three Years

John Anderson was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary this morning for stealing a watch from a man named Reynolds. He held the latter's coat as he was fighting, and is alleged to have then stolen the watch which he afterwards pawned under the name of Maloney, which he claimed today was his real name. He admitted having just completed an eighteen months' term in the local jail, and to having served fifteen months in Walla Walla, Wash. He protested his innocence, and announced his intention of appealing.

### In the County Court

In the County Court this morning Judge Lampman refused Frank Higgins' application for the discharge of the receiver for the Haddington Quarry Co. A. P. Lumsden, K.C., appeared for the receiver, and H. D. Twigg and H. H. Shandley for the creditors and others interested. His honor was asked to grant leave to the plaintiff to continue to prosecute an action regarding the receiver in the Supreme Court. Judge Lampman said he was not clear how his permission could affect the matter, but they could have it if it would do them any good.

### Penitentiary Sentence

John Anderson, charged with stealing a watch from a companion, came up on remand yesterday in the police court and was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary. The man is an old jail bird and has but recently completed a term of eighteen months on a charge of theft. He also admitted having done fifteen months in Walla Walla, Wash., and the police understand that he has also done time several times in the same place. They were contradicted by all the witnesses, but he persisted in protesting his innocence to the last, and announced his intention of appealing. "This is what you call British justice," he shouted, as he was being led off to the cells.

### Glover Discharged

The case against Wm. Glover, charged with embezzling \$17 from the Elite Prior Amusement company, for whom he was acting as a receiver, was dismissed yesterday morning by magistrate Jay. The magistrate said that the laxity with which the business was conducted was a matter of comment, and that he was not convinced that Glover had fraudulently omitted to account for the sums received. He thought it might be the result of carelessness, and he proposed to give the accused the benefit of the doubt. He laid no stress on the letter which had been produced, as it had been written under a threat of prosecution. The magistrate concluded with a short lecture on the advisability of care in the handling of money.

### TO SEATTLE

Fast S. S. "Iroquois" leaves Daily at 9 a. m.

Corset Special—Comfortable corsets to fit any figure at a quick clearance price. Regular, B. & C., \$1.35, \$1.25 and \$1.15. Special price, 85c. pair. Robinson's Cash Store, 642 Yates street.

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## THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., May 28, 1909.

### SYNOPSIS.

An important low barometer area now centered off Vancouver Island is causing high southerly winds along the coast and showery weather is likely to become general throughout the Pacific slope. Showers and thunderstorms are reported in eastern Washington, Alberta and Saskatchewan and the present fair warm weather in Manitoba will be followed by showers.

### TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria.....	49	67
Vancouver.....	49	64
New Westminster.....	48	61
Kamloops.....	46	74
Barkerville.....	40	64
Fort Simpson.....	42	54
Atlin.....	34	62
Dawson, Y. T.....	30	62
Calgary, Alta.....	36	65
Winnipeg, Man.....	44	80
Portland, Ore.....	48	56
San Francisco, Cal.....	50	58

### FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific Time) Saturday.

Victoria and Vicinity: Winds mostly southerly and westerly, partly cloudy with showers, not much change in temperature.

Lower Mainland: Winds mostly westerly and southerly, mostly cloudy and cool with showers.

### FRIDAY.

Highest.....	67
Lowest.....	49
Mean.....	58

### Sunshine, 7 hours.

### Local Council of Women

A special meeting of the Local Council of women will be held at the City Hall this afternoon at 2:30. The business will be the completion of arrangements for the reception of visiting delegates of the Quinquennial. It is most important that every member be present.

### Vancouver Drydock

An order in council has been passed by the Dominion government granting assistance to the scheme for constructing a drydock at Vancouver. Nicol Thompson, who is one of the principal movers in the enterprise, will leave Ottawa in a few days for England to complete the arrangements for the construction.

## OBITUARY NOTICES

### Tolmie

The death occurred yesterday at St. Joseph's hospital of John Henry Tolmie, aged 15, native son. His illness extended over two weeks. He was the only son of Mr. and Mrs. William Fraser Tolmie, of 1206 Vancouver street. Until recently deceased had been a student at Tolmie school, but prior to his illness had been apprenticed to the plumbing trade. The remains have been removed to the parents' residence, on Vancouver street, from where the funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 p. m. The arrangements are in the hands of the B. C. Funeral & Furnishing company.

### Wilmer

The funeral of the late Frederic Louis Wilmer took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence, McClure street, at 2:30, and at Christ church cathedral at 2:45, where service was conducted by Bro. Rev. Hon. T. R. Henegage at the church and graveside. There was a large attendance of friends, and many beautiful flowers were presented.

The members of the Masonic order of A. F. & A. M. attended in a body. Worshipful Master Bro. G. T. Fox, of St. Andrew's lodge, No. 49, assisted by Bro. J. S. Floyd, conducted the Masonic service at the grave. The following members of the order acted as pallbearers: Bro. E. B. McKay, Bro. J. H. McGregor, Bro. F. H. Price, Bro. R. H. Swinerton, Bro. Dr. Hands and Bro. D. R. Irvine.

### Costin.

The funeral of John Roberts Costin, who died on May 23, will take place at 2 o'clock from the Victoria Undertaking parlors. Rev. D. MacRae will officiate at the interment at Ross Bay cemetery.

### Frizzell.

A familiar figure is missing from the streets of Victoria in the person of Robert Frizzell, who passed away at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. R. Mackintosh, 45 South Turner street, yesterday. Eighty-four years old, a native of Belfast, Ireland, he was one of the pioneers at Owen Sound, Ontario, where he immigrated as long ago as 1844. It is two years since deceased came to Victoria, and since that time his bronzed face and pasty hair, which had become well known to the dwellers here. He leaves a wife, who resides with her daughter, Mrs. J. G. McKay, of Saanich; one son, Rev. Dr. Frizzell, of Washington, D. C.; and four daughters, Mrs. R. Mackintosh, of Victoria; Mrs. J. G. McKay, of Saanich; Mrs. Edward Woolrich, of Owen Sound, Ont.; and Mrs. G. Miller, of Victoria. A sister living at Kingston, Ont.; and two brothers, one at Owen Sound, and the other at Meaford, Ont., also survive him. The funeral will take place on Monday from the Hanna undertaking parlors, whither the body has been removed.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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The house is small but new, and with a little addition would be quite comfortable for a fair-sized family. There are numerous out-buildings, all quite new and in good condition.

The soil has been proved to be exactly suited to fruit-growing, being loose, and capable of being worked up to form a fine mulch, holding the moisture through the driest summer months. Strawberries and all small fruits do splendidly, and on this character of soil and situation strawberries come to maturity very early, assuring the top market price. There are now 2,000 planted out, these will be in full bearing next year.

There are 100 fruit trees of the choicest varieties, four years old; 100 raspberry and 100 rhubarb plants; enough has been done to make a fine start and show the capabilities of the place, which, with a little work can be made into a beautiful and profitable ranch. The stock includes horses, 2 cows and 2 calves, buggy, harness, implements, including a spraying outfit, and all dairy necessities. Also there is on the ground one hundred dollars worth of lumber and shingles, sufficient to make a considerable addition to the house.

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New Grand Theatre.

The big comedy bill at the New Grand Theatre this week will be given for the last times at this afternoon's matinee and the shows tonight.

The humorous comedy "Her Own Mother," in which the Siebert Lindley Company is seen, is the headliner of the bill. Patrons at the artistic home of vaudeville have seldom had the opportunity of witnessing a more entertaining and delightful little comedy.

The Ward Brothers in a star dance turn arrayed in the dress of the Highlands, takes steps on the boards that at once stamp them as the real thing in vaudeville. Outside the dancing the turn is prominent for its fun, silent and unspoken, portrayed in the faces of the pair.

Mann and Franks support the bill with a popular musical travesty, unnamed, but all there. They say Maurice Mann has recently gone under an operation for appendicitis. Be this as it may, they did not cut out his dialect. And the dialect of himself and his partner is a feature of the turn.

Don and Thompson ought to be billed as top notchers, only there would be too many people crowding round to see the new creation in sailor suits.

Thomas J. Price sings an illustrated song of the right kind, and the French comedy pictures are good ones.

There will be a big thousand dollar bill at the New Grand next week.

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## BOY'S DEATH WAS ACCIDENTAL

Coroner's Jury Thinks Changes in Operation of Street Cars Should Be Made

That Ian Cameron came to his death on Saturday afternoon, May 22nd, at the corner of Quadra street and Fort street, from injuries received by his being struck by a street car and accidentally killed, and that no blame can be imputed to the driver of the car, was the verdict rendered yesterday afternoon by the coroner's jury which sat to inquire into the circumstances of the young lad's death. The jury added to its verdict the recommendation that in the future the British Columbia Electric Company should order its cars to stop at the first crossing at intersecting streets, and that all fenders be adjusted to a proper distance from the rails.

The evidence submitted with reference to the killing of young Cameron brought out a few facts which have not already been published in the Colonist. Eye-witnesses of the accident testified that young Cameron ran around the rear of the car on which he had come in from Oak Bay Park, where the school sports had been held; that he started across the road, evidently not expecting the approach of Car 118 from the other direction, and that his attempt to save himself by jumping upon the fender of the approaching car proved abortive, his body striking the front of the car and being thrown to the ground between the tracks.

The evidence given by G. M. Tripp, mechanical superintendent of the company, showed that the fenders on the cars are supposed to hang at between four and five inches from the rails, but when the fender on the car which ran down Cameron was measured by Mr. Tripp, immediately after the accident, one side was six inches from the rails and the other nine inches, this difference, Mr. Tripp said, being the result of the collision between the boy and the fender when the boy jumped upon it.

### Many Witnesses.

Nine witnesses in all were examined. The B. C. Electric Company's local manager, A. T. Goward, attended the hearing, accompanied by the company's solicitor, A. E. McPhillips, K.C., while Chief of Police Langley, who put a number of questions to witnesses, was attended by J. W. A. Moore, public prosecutor. As the members of the jury had viewed the body last Monday morning, the work of taking the evidence was immediately started.

W. Doyle, motorman of Car 118, by which Cameron was killed, was the first witness. He testified that his car was proceeding along Fort street, near Quadra street, as another car was coming towards the city. As Car 118 passed the other car a boy ran out from behind the inbound car and jumped upon the fender of No. 118. Doyle saw the boy and immediately reversed his car and applied the air brakes, but the car travelled some thirty-five feet before it came to a standstill, the boy, who had fallen onto the track, passing beneath the fender and under the wheels. The car then it approached Quadra street was going about five miles an hour, but the speed was less than that when young Cameron was struck. Witness stated that he was ringing the bell as his car approached the other. The round trip for his car was about eight miles in length, and forty minutes were allowed for the trip. The car was equipped with a fender attached by straps, but not under the control of the motorman. Witness had no idea of the distance from the fender to the ground.

At this stage Mr. Moore commenced to examine the witness, when Mr. McPhillips pointed out that no counsel could appear unless with the consent of the coroner. Coroner Hart stated that he had always been in the habit of allowing any question from the public, but he would not allow any cross-examination.

To Mr. McPhillips, Doyle stated that Cameron, after jumping on the fender, fell off again. He believed that the car coming in from Oak Bay was also sounding its bell.

### Felt the Shock.

James Statterford, conductor on Car 118, testified to receiving a stop at Quadra street, where two men wished to get aboard. The car was slowing up just before coming to Quadra street when it came to a full stop. He was busy collecting fares at the time. He felt the car go over something, but he did not then know exactly what had happened. He could give no idea of the speed of the car before it was brought to the abrupt stop. He could not say how high the fender was from the ground. It was part of a conductor's duty to regulate the fender. All he had to do was to see that the fender was down. He heard a bell being sounded, but could not say whether it was that on his own car or on the other. He did not notice the other car till the front of his own had come even with it.

Colonel E. G. Prior, a passenger on Car 118, and who, because of the crowded condition of the car, had gone forward, and stood alongside of the motor man on the front platform, saw Cameron run around the rear of the inbound car. When first seen Cameron was probably about half the length of the car ahead. The lad gave one look and threw up his arm and leg as if to ward off the car when he was struck. The boy had just time to see the car when it bore down upon him. Colonel Prior had no idea of how fast the car was travelling; it was not going very fast, as it was going very slowly. The motorman was ringing his bell, and just as soon as Cameron was seen the air brakes were applied; but from the short distance which the car had to go there was absolutely no chance for Cameron to get out of the way or for the car to be stopped before it struck the boy. Cameron was not seen until he suddenly appeared from behind the other car.

William Adamson, also an eye-witness of the accident, was riding on the front platform. Cameron had no chance to get out of the way before he was run down. Two men were waiting on the street to board the car, which at the time was not more than two car lengths from the spot where it would have stopped to take up the passengers. While he did not make any actual measurements, Adamson stated that from what he could see the fender on the north side was about six inches from the rails and about eight or nine inches on the south side. At that time, however, the crowded car had been emptied.

### Boy Had No Chance.

John Daniel Burns, who, with Robert Hand, both city workmen, were the two men waiting to board the No. 118 at Quadra street, saw young Cameron run out from behind the other car and right into the eastbound car. Evidently the boy did not see the car approaching until he ran almost into it. He appeared to make an effort to pull himself up and turn to dodge around the front of No. 118, but he could not stop himself, and he appeared confused. He jumped upon the fender, struck his left side against the front of the car and rebounded onto the street, falling with his feet across the rails. The body went under the fender. Burns called out to the motorman, who stopped the car. Burns could not say whether the bell was being rung or not. He could not say whether the other car was standing still at that instant.

Robert Hand's evidence was similar to that given by Burns. He noticed the fender was pretty high, but just how high he could not say, nor had he any idea of the rate of speed. James Roy, who travelled on the same car with Cameron from Oak Bay, stated that the latter alighted from the car before it had been brought to a stop. He had not heard any bell ringing, nor did he have any idea of the rate of speed at which the outbound car was travelling.

Charles Bell, an eye-witness of the accident, believed the car when it struck the boy was travelling about 8 or 9 miles an hour. The fender passed clear over the boy.

### Facts About Fenders

G. M. Tripp, mechanical superintendent of the B. C. Electric Company, gave a description of the car No. 118, which he described as one known as the double truck, four-motor variety, weighing about twenty tons. It was equipped with an electric brake, air brakes and all modern controlling apparatus. The fender, one designed by a Vancouver employee of the company, was of the same design used on the company's cars, is made of rubber strips and had rubber guards on the forward rod. The fender is supposed to hang five inches from the ground. The mechanical department has charge of the fenders and the conductor or motorman is not responsible for them. The fender on each car is fixed before the car leaves the shops. When the car is heavily loaded the fender would hang lower than when empty. When he measured the fender on Car 118 the car had been emptied. It would have been lower when Cameron was struck. A full load would make a difference of two or three inches in the height of the fender from the ground. Recently the company has had exhaustive tests made of different types of fenders.

One test was made about a month ago by the Board of Trade and the city council of Vancouver. It had been found, however, that the fender now used by the company is quite as good as the others. It is necessary to keep the fenders five inches above the rails, first because of the changes in the levels of the roadways which require that the fender shall not touch the rails and also because when a car is suddenly stopped it is liable to rear up, striking the fender sink. In the latter case additional protection is given where the car is suddenly stopped to avoid running a person down. Evidently the reason for the fender on No. 118 being higher on one side than the other was because of its being twisted out of shape by young Cameron jumping upon it.

It took the jury about ten minutes to reach a verdict as set forth above. The jury was composed of Henry A. Porter (foreman), A. B. Oldershaw, Arthur Kent, Frederick O. Porter, Ernest Steele, David Murray.

## IDENTITY UNCERTAIN

Authorities Learn Little of Previous History of Gladstone Street Suicide

Beyond ascertaining that Richard Ehrlert, the German, who ended his own life on Thursday evening at 1287 Gladstone street, by shooting himself, has been a resident of the city for several years, the local authorities have discovered nothing further relative to the man's previous history or what is his real name. A workman who was employed on the Empress hotel while that building was in course of erection three years ago, informed the police yesterday that Ehrlert was also employed as a laborer on the work, and that he had heard the suit state that his mother was living in Battenburg, Germany. This information, coupled with the fact that Ehrlert is believed to have belonged to the Independent Order of Foresters, is about all that has been learned of the man to date.

This afternoon at 3 o'clock Coroner Hart will hold an inquest at the police court, city hall, when the circumstances surrounding the man's death will be investigated. The Germans of the city will take charge of the funeral arrangements.

## Whitsuntide Festival

Tomorrow there will be a special children's festival service at St. Barnabas' church at 2:30 p. m., when the children will march in procession from the school in the church, singing one of the special hymns issued by the Bradford Church Institute for this year's Whitsuntide festival. Copies of this will be provided for the congregation. All parents and friends are specially invited to this service.

## TROUBLES ARE AIRED IN COURT

Receiver Appointed for Gardiner Company Till Difficulties Are Settled

The rumors of disagreements in the management of the Edmund Gardiner Company took definite form yesterday in an application made by Mr. Gardiner to Chief Justice Hunter in chambers for a receiver. It appeared from the statements made by W. J. Taylor, K. C., who appeared in support of the application, that the Edmund Gardiner Company now playing at the Victoria theatre is really a partnership consisting of two men, Edmund Gardiner and R. K. Valentine.

Mr. Taylor went on to say that by agreement the lease of the theatre had been made out in the name of Mr. Valentine, but that he had recently assigned the lease, which was really partnership property, to a Dr. Lillier, that who has been made a defendant in the pending suit. Counsel said that he had affidavits showing that the defendants had ousted Mr. Gardiner from the theatre and were preventing him from performing the functions allotted to him in their partnership agreement.

Accordingly he asked that a receiver be appointed to carry on the partnership business pending the settlement of the matters in dispute. He suggested that the sheriff would be a suitable person, as, being an officer of the court, he could act without bonds.

The chief justice granted the application with leave to the defendants to apply at any time on giving 24 hours' notice to have the receivership set aside. The usual undertaking as to any damages caused by the receivership was also given.

It is understood that the personal relations between the plaintiffs and the defendants have been strained to the breaking point, and that a determined legal fight is likely to ensue. In the meantime the performances at the Victoria theatre will continue as usual. The trouble appears to differ from those so frequently encountered by theatrical ventures in that it seems not to be a question of where the money is to come from to carry on the business, but rather that of who shall direct its affairs.

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The Quailcon land, now being cleared, is not yet quite ready to be offered to settlers. However, it should be so in the course of a few weeks. The price, in this case, will not be as high as the advantages are not as great, the C. P. R. having adopted a totally different scheme in respect to the clearing of their holdings in this district. In the area there is a little over four hundred acres. It will be sold in from ten to forty acre blocks, part being entirely cleared, a portion almost ready for agricultural development and another section only slashed.

## Organ Recital

A large audience filled St. John's church last night, and enjoyed a splendid programme of music given at the organ recital. Mrs. Harry Briggs sang two beautiful solos, showing a voice of considerable power, flexibility and scope. It would be difficult to find two more exacting solos for the voice than "Gounod's 'Jesu Christ, Elect of David'" and "Will Extol Thee," which were ably interpreted by her. Mr. Williams sang a pleasing rendition of Lindsay's "Resignation," and Mr. Gleason Hicks, whose reputation is deservedly wider than local, sang in his usual good-voiced expression, Sullivan's "Thou Art Passing Hence."

The choir of St. John's church were very successful in their effective singing of the two festival anthems, "Blessed Be the God and Father," of S. S. Wesley, and "Sing, O Heavens," Sullivan, in which Miss Redfern's singing of "Love One Another," and Mr. P. Petich's tenor solo, "For His Salvation Is Near," were both distinctive for their purity of tone and clear enunciation.

The programme opened with the Grand Organ Sonata of Mendelssohn comprising four different movements. There is always a mysticism in the music of Wagner's Parsifal, which seems intensified upon the organ, with the subtle strains of his "Dresden Amen" interwoven with the theme of the Holy Grail, The Minuet from Samson, Mr. Burnett's own melodious Romance, and "The Pilgrim's Chorus" concluded the organ programme. An offering was collected for the choir fund.

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## In Woman's Realm

### HERE AND THERE

There are many who look with anxiety on the spread of education among women. They fear, that, as the number of college graduates increases, women will become less adapted for the practical work of the world.

This is not the opinion held by Mary E. Woolley, president of Holyoke College, who writes on "Some Results of Higher Education for Women" in Harper's Bazar.

This writer does not see that there is a great danger of tendency among college women to become bookworms. There are very few who lose their interest in the affairs of life and deliberately choose to shut themselves up to one of study. The opposite danger is, perhaps, rather to be feared. There are girls who find the social side of college life so alluring that the years spent there are comparatively fruitless. They devote their whole attention to amusement and excitement. They "substitute college life for college work." But these types are the exception. College girls are, as a rule, just good wholesome earnest young women who are studying to prepare themselves for a life of service. They realize fully the necessity for efficiency and know that to be efficient a woman must be physically strong. Special care is taken to preserve health and to lay up a store of strength and vigor, which in the time to come will serve the physician, the nurse, the teacher and, above all, the mother, in good stead. The regular hours, the care exercised in matters of diet and the opportunities given for sport and exercise in most colleges contribute towards their end. The need of economizing nervous energy is understood by the educated woman and the wisdom of resting in order to accomplish better work. She does not like her less enlightened sisters, spur herself on to tasks beyond her strength or force herself to keep on working when body and mind are almost exhausted. The many reserves of a college woman help to prevent the nervous breakdown that comes so often to women who have nothing to think of beyond their own petty interests or the narrow routine of work or pleasure.

The day has gone by when the only occupation open to educated women was that of teacher. There are now fields of human activity in which patient research is required in which the services of educated women are not welcomed. "The scientific field" observes this writer, "offers a wide opportunity to the woman who adds training to her natural fitness, in her aptitude for details, her skill in manipulation, her patience and perseverance, inborn and inbred for generations. A distinguished physicist told me not long ago that for his line of scientific research a woman is peculiarly adapted, because of her lightness of touch and her ability to handle delicate instruments, and a bacteriologist urged no less strongly her qualifications for work in the laboratories where search is made not only for a contribution to science, but the saving of human life." In many of the observatories the astronomer finds his most efficient assistants in women and more than one have made valuable discoveries. But although such fields are open to none but educated women it does not follow that their training and education are not valuable in the natural sphere of the majority of women—the home. If the years spent in college unfitted the student for the management of the household, the care of her children or the duties of the wife, then indeed the possession of a degree would be a misfortune. But even a very limited experience shows that among the happiest homes are those presided over by college women. So far from neglecting their homes or considering the lowliest tasks beneath them, they bend all the energy of trained minds to their accomplishment. Difficult, as they may find the work they seldom fail to make themselves mistresses of the situation. Husband and children are friends and the better for the knowledge, the sympathy and the wider outlook on life which a really good college training gives to a woman whose nature is strong and loving. In our new country with its temptations to the worship of the material the work which such women do in society is very valuable. Its scope is indicated in the closing paragraph of the article.

"But there is a deeper meaning in the thought that education gives a new sense of values; it helps to distinguish between the real and the unreal, between the significant and the insignificant. Friendship means more than admiring, for the modern society. Artificial social distinctions are weighed in the balance and found wanting, and personality and character are made the basis for friendship and esteem. The spirit of commercialism, of selfish disregard of others, of false standards and superficial distinctions, is stamped as valueless, and genuine democracy, earnest purposes and high ideals become the test of life."

If there is one duty more than another which has by common consent been delegated to women, it is that of keeping the house in order. A man may be proud of his skill in cookery, but it is doubtful if he ever, except under protest, undertakes the task of sweeping and dusting. Indeed, it may be said, there is something wanting in the composition of a woman who can be happy in an untidy room. A man may allow his books and his papers to be covered with dust and still be held to be blameless, but fle on the woman who can look with any degree of equanimity upon dust or disorder.

Modern women, restless as they sometimes are said to be, have not confined themselves to the sweeping of their own homes. Both in England and the United States, as, perhaps, elsewhere, they have entered upon many of the

duties of civil house cleaning. They have formed clubs, and literally taken the task of cleaning the streets. Empty lots and neglected areas have been placed under their supervision, with results very pleasant to see. In Spokane and Portland the energy of the women has helped to bring about the beauty and order for which these cities are noted. But it is rather in a figurative than a literal sense that women's services in removing from the city those things which offend have been most valuable.

In the war waged against poverty, sickness, and vice, women have always been the zealous allies of men. Usually their services have been accepted without recognition. But this is no longer the case. In the city of New York an army of nurses is engaged in the attempt to banish tuberculosis. Nor are those who are fighting disease at large unappreciated. It is a woman who is at the head of the health department of child hygiene for that great city. The children of the very poor are watched over from their birth by this woman with a great heart and a genius for organizing, whose name is Dr. S. Josephine Baker. Another woman under whom is a large staff of assistants takes part in the work of reforming the tenement houses. These dwellings of the very poor are made and kept habitable by the vigilance and the intelligence of women. Another lady has founded an association which shows all who are willing to learn how to live on small incomes. Here and there in the most crowded tenement districts a woman is put in charge of two or three rooms and supplied with such furniture and food material as her neighbors could procure with their scanty means. These she prepares, and anyone who likes may watch her at her work and learn how it is done. Miss Mabel Kittredge is the name of the lady who believes that the poor women of the tenements only want the chance of learning to do better and offer them the opportunity. The idea has taken hold, and other societies are following her example.

There is a women's municipal league in New York, of which Mrs. Russell Sage is a member. While the members of this society look after playgrounds, keep their eyes open for abuses in the city hospitals, see that there are fountains in the poorer districts, and many other things concerning the comfort of those who are unable to look after themselves, their chief work is to take care that immigrant girls are not allowed to fall into the snares that are set for them, or into which their own ignorance would lead them. Women have also organized themselves into a body whose purpose is to kill the sweat-shop and make it possible for all women workers to earn an honest living. These are only some of the ways in which the women of the great city of New York are engaged in the work of purifying their city and carrying on the charity which begins at home.

### A Wild-Flower Garden

Has any one in Victoria thought of planting a wild flower garden? Some of our wild flowers bear transplanting and improve with cultivation.

At present there is a strong feeling among Americans for wild-flower gardens in which the plants shall be encouraged to retain their native characteristics and not be "Americanized." Many nurserymen now make a specialty of supplying plants for the wild garden. Usually it is better to buy their stock than to rely wholly on transplanting from the woods, because under care plants often develop exceedingly strong roots which enable them to establish themselves more quickly and permanently in a garden than if just taken up from their natural surroundings.

In my garden I have a wild flower corner, or it might be called a small woods garden, since most of the things dwelling there are true inhabitants of dense and quiet places. A similar effect might be achieved in a border by those who have not so large a spare corner in their gardens.

The wild columbine has grown for years in light, dry soil under the full sun. Not far from columbine there snuggles in the May woods the showy orchid. The mossy flower and the large yellow lady's slipper, with other members of the evasive orchid family are to be found in the woods of May. In fact, these two mentioned beauties, along with the showy orchid, are the three representatives that have come from their native haunts into my garden. The large yellow lady's slipper thrives, perhaps, the best of them all, and of it I have established a fairly large colony.

Often a mistake of those who search the woods for plants for the garden is that they strive to collect many species. It is better taste to have few kinds and to have them in considerable numbers. The aim of wild flowers in a garden should be to form large, permanent colonies; as scattered individuals they are not sufficiently effective.

### How Oregon Was Named

It is most probable that the name of Oregon arose out of some circumstance connected with western explorations under direction of the French. Earlier than the English, the French had pressed on westward from the Great Lakes to the Red River, to the Saskatchewan and to the foot of the Rocky Mountains. They were ranging the country of the upper Mississippi in search of furs and for trade with the natives; they were full of curiosity and active in inquiry about the great, distant west, and the unknown western sea. Of this sea they possessed Spanish charts and probably used among the native the word "Argon" as a homonym of Spain. When Jonathan Carver, of Cincinnati, was on his expedition to the upper Mississippi country, in 1767-68, he made all possible inquiries about the country toward the west, the western river and the sea and the word "Oregon" and the name was written for the first time, so far as is now known, in Carver's book, published in London, in 1778. It is a book of little importance or value, except for the fact that it gives to the world the name of Oregon, which Carver says he got from natives in the country of the upper Mississippi. Recent writers have shown that much of Carver's book is made up of unacknowledged extracts from Hennepin, Leblond and Charlevoix; and, as Carver had no scholarship, it is believed the book was compiled in London, partly from Carver's own story and partly from the records of French and English exploration.

### WOMAN'S WORK

The second session of the annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held at the home of Mrs. Dempster on Thursday afternoon. The corresponding secretary, Mrs. Andrews, read the yearly report. The meeting of the provincial union on the twenty-fifth anniversary of the visit of Frances Willard was referred to, and thankfulness expressed for the increase in membership and the progress of the work.

A review of the meetings held during the year was given. Miss Murcutt's lectures and the measures taken to obtain the municipal franchise for women were spoken of, and a tribute paid to Mrs. Thompson, the president of the society.

Mrs. Wm. Grant, the treasurer, reported that \$795 had been received, and \$758 expended. Mrs. Willscroft reported that the mayor and city council had been requested to pass a by-law which would lead to the better observance of Sunday.

Mrs. Mitchell reported on the work done by the society for the furtherance of purity and described the work that is proposed to be done at the National Purity Congress to convene in Burlington, Iowa, in October of this year.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: Mrs. Willscroft, president; Mrs. Gleason, vice-president; Mrs. Sherwood, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Pickard, recording secretary; Mrs. Andrews, treasurer.

Resolutions of sympathy were passed with Mrs. Holt, who is ill, and with Mrs. Spofford on the loss of her father. Mrs. Andrews moved that the thanks of the society be tendered to Rev. S. J. Thompson for the untiring help and sympathy shown to it during his stay in Victoria. The resolution was passed unanimously, and Mr. Thompson made an appropriate reply. Mrs. Willscroft invited all members of the society to meet at her house on Monday afternoon to take leave of Mrs. Thompson, who leaves for Kelowna on Wednesday.

The hostess, Mrs. Dempster, then entertained the ladies. The members present were: Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Reid, Mrs. Wm. Grant, Mrs. Gleason, Mrs. Willscroft, Dr. Ryan, Mrs. A. Mitchell, Mrs. McLaren, Mrs. Teague, Mrs. Parsons, Mrs. Haines, Mrs. Burkholder, Mrs. Gregson, Mrs. J. W. Williams, Miss Spencer, Mrs. Velch, Mrs. Frank, Mrs. Pickard, Mrs. Sherwood, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Norman, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Frank Adams, Mrs. Field, Mrs. Snider, Mrs. Tite, Mrs. Chapman, Mrs. Macdonald, Mrs. Jennings and Mrs. Plett.

### Children Should Romp

The mother who wishes her boy or girl to be a plump of propriety, who rates good clothes and repressed manners above healthful romping and natural playfulness of childhood, is laying up for herself disappointment. Either her children fall short of her foolish ideal, or meeting it she learns too late she has reared Miss Nancies and invalids.

An old doctor who lived next to a big primary school was asked, if the noise and romping of the children at recess did not annoy him.

"Not half so annoying, madam, as if they were a set of silent little pigs, for I'd know that the parents of those children would be bothering me with their ailments. Youth needs to romp to keep well."

There is an old saying, "It is better to wear clothes than blankets." If you do not hanker after nursing let your boy and girl romp to their heart's content. What if it does tear their clothes to shreds, to roll down hill or jump in the hay-mow? Bodies cost more to repair than frocks, and doctors' bills come higher than worn out shoes and stockings.

There is nothing more pitiable than the child who is under constant restraint. As one woman said recently to the mother of an active and naughty child: "It is refreshing to hear of her pranks. Most children nowadays are so repressed with governesses tagging after them with constant 'don't' that they had all the originality destroyed."

Let the children understand that romping in the drawing-room or in the presence of visitors is not to be tolerated, but the rest of the time permit play, though it verges on boisterousness.

What if romping is hard on the nerves of older people. It is excellent to prevent nerves in the kiddies themselves. Less restraint of children needed than most mothers will believe. The old cat can teach a lesson to many a human parent when she limbers herself to play with her kittens' string.

The nobleness of life depends on its consistency and earnestness of purpose, and repenting, and blotching, and retouching, and wondering what it will be best to do next, are vice as well as misery.—John Ruskin.

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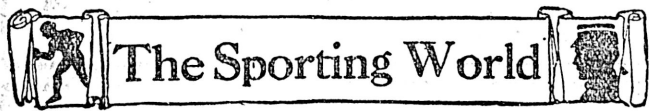
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## COURSE READY FOR INAUGURAL DAY

Spic and Span in Its New Clothes Presents Contrast to Former Appearance

The Victoria Country Club's Oak Bay race course, never appeared prettier than it will for the opening of the summer season of racing a week hence. The appearance of the place on that day will be a revelation to visitors, who remember it as being dirty and unkempt, previous to the administration of the Country Club. The long row of stables on the far side of the track have been augmented

ed by two hundred new ones, and all have been painted a brilliant white, that at close range is almost dazzling. The whole color scheme of stables and fences throughout is a virgin white, and combined with the fresh green of the sprouting oats in the infield, creates a harmonious color scheme that is both wholesome and refreshing, and in marked contrast to the former ugliness. The fences look spick and span, and the grand stand with its boxes newly varnished, looks inviting. The old lawn in front of the stand has been replaced with a flooring extending from the front of the stand to the outside rail. A new judges' stand of modern design has taken the place of the "shack" that served the purpose in former years. The timers' stand directly across the track from the judges' stand, has been improved, while a new jockey board and number board have been built close by. A handsome new railing has replaced the tumble-down fence that separated the spectators from the flying horses; the dilapidated jockey's quarters have been moved back, and sev-

eral improvements made for the comfort of the riders.

The old entrance gate has been partially dismantled, and has been replaced by a more modern structure that will afford racegoers easy access to the grounds.

The loop constructed by the B. C. Electric Railroad enabling visitors to alight from the cars, directly on the grounds is one of the greatest of all the improvements.

Arrangements have been made whereby patrons going to the course in automobiles, can witness the races from the infield, and without alighting from the machines.

That the construction of the private boxes by Manager Leighton will prove popular is evidenced by the large number of applications that are coming in. The demand has been so great that it is expected the boxes will all be taken by Monday. A new press box is welcomed by the newspapermen.

Horsemen and visitors who are coming for the race meeting continue to arrive daily, the importance and length of the meeting having attracted a great number from all over the United States and Canada. The hotels thus far have not been taxed to any great extent in caring for the influx of visitors, but the pressure will be felt a day or so previous to the

opening of the meeting, when the late-comers begin to arrive.

Many of the horsemen, especially those with families, who prefer to rent cottages, rather than live in hotels, are experiencing no end of difficulty in finding desirable places. Furnished houses and apartments of the desirable kind are very scarce in Victoria, and the few to be found here have all been pre-empted by the early arrivals. The horsemen deplore the fact that there are no desirable apartment houses in this city, as at present there is a big demand for this class of building.

### BASEBALL

**Northwestern League.**  
At Seattle—Aberdeen, 4-7-1; Seattle, 8-10-3. Miller and Shea; Starkell and O'Brien.  
At Portland—Spokane, 5-9-1; Portland, 2-5-4. Brinker and Ostelick; Pinnance and Murray.  
At Vancouver—Thirteen Innings. Tacoma, 1-6-2; Vancouver, 2-6-3. Baker and Kellackey; Erickson and Sugden.

**Const League.**  
At Los Angeles—Oakland, 0-1-4; Los Angeles, 5-7-0. Tompkins and Lewis; Hossy and Orendorf.  
At San Francisco—Portland, 2-7-1; San Francisco, 3-6-2. Carson, Harkness and Armbruster; Willis and Berry.  
At Sacramento—Vernon, 0-5-1; Sacramento, 3-10-2. Hitt and Hogan; Fitzgerald and Byrnes.

**National League.**  
At New York—First game: Philadelphia, 11-14-1; New York, 1-7-3. Moren and Doolin; Marquard, Welmer, Crandall and Myers. Second game: Philadelphia, 0-1-1; New York, 3-7-1. Covaletski and Loom; Mathewson and Schief.  
At Boston—Brooklyn-Boston, two games postponed, rain.

**American League.**  
At St. Louis—St. Louis, 1-6-1; Cleveland, 0-1-0. Fox and Hill; Graham and Creiger; Young and Clarke.  
At Detroit—Fourteen Innings. Detroit, 2-12-1; Chicago, 1-12-0. Killain and Stange; Burns and Sullivan.  
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 3-8-1; Washington, 1-1-0. Dyett and Livingston; Hughes and Street.

**Eastern League.**  
All games postponed on account of rain.

### LIGHTWEIGHTS READY FOR BIG BATTLE

San Francisco, May 28.—Battling Nelson of Illinois, and Dick Hyland of San Francisco, who will fight for the world's lightweight championship at Coffroth's arena tomorrow afternoon have ended their training and both claim to be in splendid condition to enter the ring and begin their scheduled 45 round battle. The men will weigh in at the ring-side and have agreed to make 135 pounds.

As the fighters already are within easy distance of this notch the weighing in ceremonies will be more or less a mere formality. The champion is favorite in the betting at odds of 10 to 4, at which price Hyland's followers are supporting him freely. There is also considerable wagering at events that Nelson will win within 25 rounds. Nelson is reported to have placed several large commissions with local stake-holders that he will dispose of the Californian before the gong ends

the 25th round. Hyland on the other hand has bet \$2,500 at the prevailing prices that he will defeat the champion.

Willis Britt, Nelson's manager, will arrive from New York tonight and will act as the Dane's chief adviser, while Jack Welsh, the well known referee will serve as time keeper for the championship. Eddie Smith of Oakland will referee the contest, which will begin at 8 o'clock. A ten round bout between local fighters will precede the main event.

The Capital Gun Club will hold a shoot at the Willows traps tomorrow afternoon commencing at 2 o'clock. It is announced that the Dupont trophy will arrive in a few days and will be put up for competition without delay. Probably an admirable handicapping system, an outline of which has been received from the other side, will be adopted in the conduct of this and other local contests during the season.

### CLUBBED THE POLICEMAN

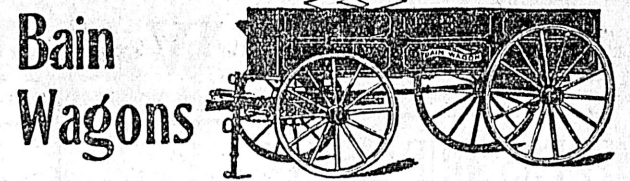
**Quatsino Squabble Involves Dignity of Bench and Educational Forces**  
Because E. Evenson and Thomas Hlstdad, the former postmaster, and both school trustees for Quatsino district, took exception when Justice of the Peace, J. Norstrom held court in the school house and tried a number of Indians for drunkenness, trouble ensued which ended in an assault upon the district constable, T. Sorenson. Now, the two belligerent trustees have been committed for the assault upon the police officer and are awaiting trial.

Sorenson, with a battered eye and a tell-tale bandage upon his head where Evenson, it is alleged by the constable, struck him with a heavy club while Hlstdad held him, arrived in the city on Thursday afternoon on the Tees in charge of the two prisoners.

It appears from the statement of the constable that Justice of the Peace Norstrom started to hold court in the school building when he was ordered from the place by the two trustees. Despite the Justice's order that the two trustees take themselves off, they refused to comply but instead vented their indignation that the dignity of the schoolhouse should be so lowered. Mr. Norstrom promptly declared that Hlstdad must answer to a charge of contempt of court and in due course a warrant was sworn out which was entrusted to Sorenson to execute. The trouble then commenced.

**Branch of League Formed**  
A meeting of the residents of Oak Bay municipality was held in the schoolhouse last evening to complete the organization of a branch of the development league. A committee of management was appointed, S. R. Newton being president, and A. E. Haynes, secretary.

**Assault at Arms Repeated**  
The drill hall was well filled last night when the naval and military display was again given by officers and men of the Fifth Regiment C. A., H. M. S. Shearwater and Algerine and from the Work Point barracks. The entertainment was an excellent one, and the manner in which it was enjoyed was indicated by the hearty applause which greeted the various numbers.



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Vancouver, May 28.—At Brockton point last night the Celtic football team won the championship of the Vancouver District Football League by defeating Westham Island by the score of 5 to 3. On account of the threatening weather there were only about 50 spectators present.

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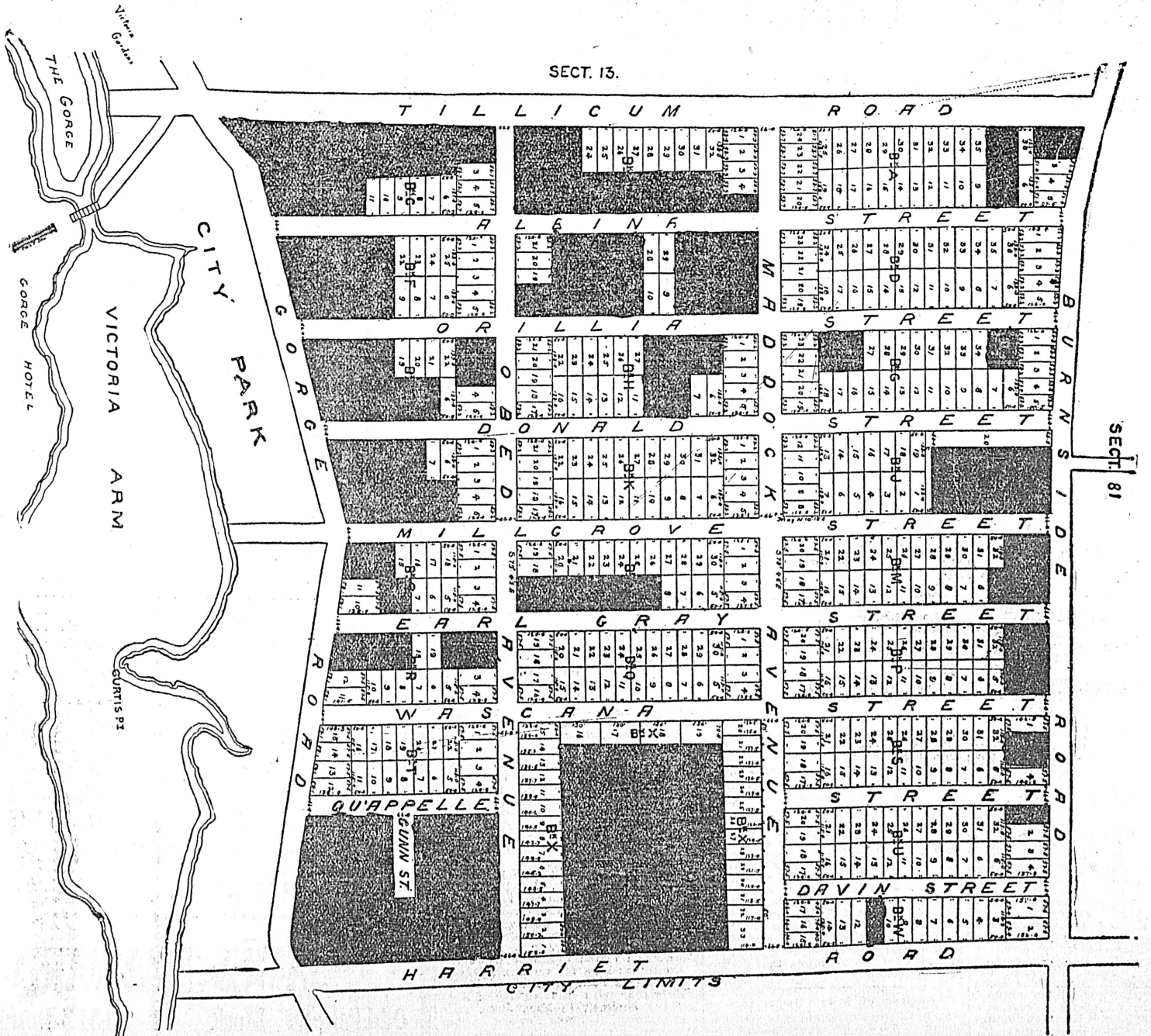
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The photograph contained in the brooch found upon the poor woman who lost her life by the John Bright tragedy, is that of a handsome young brunette of about 18 years, with a round laughing face and coal-black eyes. Long black ringlets depend from the head and fall gracefully over the shoulders, while a narrow white collar encircles the small white neck and is secured by an elegant brooch. The portrait is said to be that of the captain's wife, who was cruelly murdered by the Indians upon whom she relied for assistance.

George Francis Train, the great martyr, is expected to pay this colony a visit before returning east. He will be welcomed by a concourse of persons wearing blue coats and metal buttons, and grasping weighty truncheons in their hands, and will be invited to partake of the hospitality of the colony.

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

A. R. Kelly, of Vancouver, spent yesterday in the city on business.

Miss Edith D. Foster of Portland, is in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Hincks, Cowichan Bay, are in town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fullerton, of Portland, are in town.

Mrs. Beale, Cadboro Bay, will be one of this evening's hostesses.

Miss D. Hayes and D. Starr, of Seattle, are holidaying in town.

The tennis club at Duncan are giving a tea on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. T. C. Catsby, from Vancouver, is over in the Capital on a short visit.

Mr. Hugh Glasby, from Seattle, is over in town on a short business visit.

Judge Lampman returned to Victoria yesterday from his visit to Vernon.

L. W. Shatford, M. P. P., went over to Vancouver last night on the Charmer en route to Rochester, N. Y.

Mrs. Gordon Hunter is down from Shawnigan and will spend a few days in town.

Mr. Coxon, from Vancouver, who spent the holidays in Victoria has returned home.

Miss Anna Tensy, of Ladysmith, is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. Fagan, Victoria, West.

Mr. R. Portwell and Mr. Herbert McCloskey, from Portland, Ore., are staying with friends in town.

Mrs. B. R. Atkins, of Revelstoke, is visiting in Victoria and is the guest of Mrs. G. C. Howell, Elford street.

Mr. and Mrs. McGibben, of Oakland, California, are among the many southern visitors at present in Victoria.

Mrs. Manning and Mrs. Mahaffey, of Seattle, arrived in town yesterday, and are staying at the Balmoral.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. O'Neill Hayes, arrived in town last evening from Edmonton.

Mrs. Sayward, Belcher street, has issued invitations for a garden party on June 2nd.

J. C. Bristol, manager of the Hotel Savoy, Seattle, is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. J. H. Brownlee of Vancouver, arrived in town yesterday, and is staying at the Empress.

Osborne Plunkett, a well known lawyer of Vancouver, arrived in the city yesterday on a brief visit.

J. Sandeman Allan, of Liverpool, England, is a guest at the Empress hotel, arriving yesterday.

Lieutenant G. C. Glen left last night on the Charmer for Vancouver on a short business trip.

Mrs. E. J. Wall, who paid a week end visit to her son in Vancouver, returned on Tuesday.

Miss J. Behnson, who spent a few days at the terminal city this week is home again.

Miss Eva McLaren, of Niagara street, has returned from a four weeks' trip to Vancouver and Harrison Hot Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur T. Hollquist, of Calgary, who have been spending the past two months in southern California, left last night on their return home.

J. Brown, left last night via the C. F. R., for Quebec, thence he will sail on the Empress of Ireland on a three months' trip to the Old Country.

J. Hutchinson, of Cowichan, is among the visitors to the city arriving yesterday. He is a guest at the Driard hotel.

Mr. Leon Melikov, of the B. C. Refining company, Limited, Vancouver, is in town for a few days and is a guest at the Empress hotel.

Miss Mollie Henry of Clarence avenue, returned this afternoon from New Westminster, where she has been spending the last three weeks.

C. Jacobsen and E. Evenson, store-keeper and hotel proprietors of Quatsino, are in town and are staying at the Dominion hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Charters from Newmarket, England, who are touring Canada are spending a few days in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Laurence, of John's Crossing, are spending some time in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Drury.

Mr. and Mrs. Singleton Wise have rented their house at Oak Bay and have taken up their residence at Saanich for the summer months.

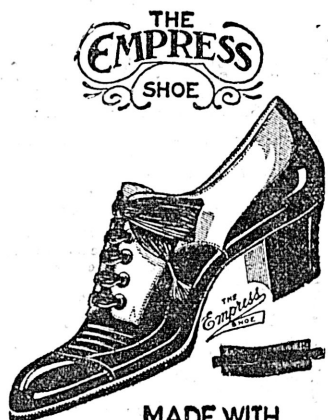
Miss Helen Brathwaite, from Cornwall, England, is staying here. She is accompanied by Mrs. R. Bloomfield, her companion with whom she has been touring Canada.

# MUNDAY'S GREAT SUMMER SHOE SALE

We inaugurate Our Summer Shoe Sale **TODAY** with a *Tremendous Cut* in every line. We shall adopt no half measures but *Tremendous Sweeping Reductions* in every line. Everything will be sold for spot cash; at these prices we cannot afford to charge anything or give goods on approval. Pay for what you take away and we will return the money for what you don't keep.

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## TELEPHONE WAR IN PASADENA

### City Council Cuts Cables of Sunset Company to Force Payment

Pasadena, Cal., May 28.—Several squads of men, under guard of the city police, began today cutting the wires and cables of the Sunset Phone Co. in this city and according to the statement of Mayor Early the work will be continued until the Sunset Company is put out of business in Pasadena. Already so much damage has been done that weeks will be required to restore the system.

The action followed a meeting of the city council today when a resolution empowering the city to cut the wires was passed. The twenty-year franchise of the Sunset Co. expired in 1907. It has not been renewed and no license has been paid by the company. No effort to prevent the destruction of the system was made by the company's employees.

The squads of wire cutters who travelled in automobiles, succeeded in cutting nine four-foot sections out of nine cables carrying 100 wires each, and put 2,700 Sunset phones out of commission. Long distance cables were not molested. The fire and police systems are cut off.

Mayor Thos. Early said today that he would prevent the company from repairing its wires until the back license for a year and a half had been paid and a franchise procured from the city by the Sunset Company.

With twelve big cables cut, 293 wires and 2,400 telephones out of a total of 4,700 in the city of Pasadena, out of service, and scores of policemen, under personal command of Chief of Police Favour, on guard against the Sunset Telephone Company's repair men, the situation in this city today resultant from the drastic action of the city authorities last night in cutting the telephone lines was one of an armed truce, pending a probable action in the courts. The police are guarding the several cables at all points to prevent their being repaired, and Chief Favour was kept busy during the morning receiving reports from different parts of the city of attempts of linemen to repair the wires and dispatching motor cycle policemen to prevent them.

Mayor Early and his subordinates are firm in their determination to prevent the Sunset Company from resuming service until they take out a franchise from the city and pay the amount of the license tax claimed to

be due on an assessment of 75 cents per pole. Practically all Sunset telephone lines running out of the city are out of business, and the city's fire alarm system is suspended.

### HURRIED DIVORCE

California Woman Given Freedom in Order That She May Marry Man Who Is Ill

Redding, Cal., May 28.—Because Al Fraser of Stockton, Cal., to whom she is engaged to be married, is seriously ill and will submit to an operation from which he may not recover, Mrs. Bernice Winchell of Stockton, formerly Miss Bernice Bemis of this place, was granted an absolute decree of divorce from Winchell last night, the Court holding a night session in order that the engaged couple might wed before death intervenes to prevent their union.

Telegraphic requests from Mrs. Winchell's attorneys in Stockton were received by the Court last night stating that the bride-to-be was anxious to marry Fraser at once, before an operation for appendicitis, with which he is dangerously ill, was performed. Mrs. Winchell had obtained an interlocutory decree of divorce some time ago, and the Court hastened to comply with her wishes and go through the formality of entering the absolute decree.

### DETERMINED TO DIE

Seattle Man Swallows Carbolic Acid in Spite of Boy's Brave Attempt to Save Him

Seattle, May 28.—Despite the attempt of thirteen-year-old James Bergstedt, a newsboy, to prevent him, Rheinholt Hagenlocker committed suicide in an alley between First and Second avenues just off Cherry street last night by drinking carbolic acid. After taking the poison he walked to First avenue and Cherry street before he fell. Then he was carried into a drug store across the street. He was taken to the city hospital in the patrol wagon, but he died before arrival. Hagenlocker was little known in Seattle. From a letter which was found in his pocket, domestic trouble is supposed to have caused him to commit the deed.

### Killed by Roller.

Bury, Que., May 28.—Edwin Green, 33 years old is dead as a result of injuries received by a roller passing over him when his horses ran away.

### Five Buildings Burned.

Disrael, Que., May 28.—Five buildings including the postoffice were destroyed by fire here Wednesday night. Aid was sent from Sherbrooke. The fire at one time threatened to wipe out the town.

### "ADAM GOD" WILL HEAR FATE TODAY

Kansas City, May 28.—James Sharp, or "Adam God" probably will know his fate some time today at the hands of the jury that has been hearing his case in the criminal court here for the last ten days.

Sharp's trial came as a result of the bloody religious riot that took place between his band of travelling street evangelists and a number of police officers here on the afternoon of December 8 last, within a block of the City Hall. As a result of that fight, five persons lost their lives and three others were injured.

### SHOT IN HIS CELL

Texas Mob, Unable to Enter Jail, Fire Through Bars at Convicted Murderer

Ablene, Tex., May 28.—At 1 o'clock this morning a mob stormed the county jail here and shot to death Tom Barnett, recently convicted of the murder of Alexander Sears.

Refused admission by the jailer, the mob worked unsuccessfully for an hour to open the cell doors. Then the victim was shot to death inside his cell.

The proceedings were conducted with comparative quietness, but few citizens were aware of the lynching until it was over.

### TRAIN ROBBERS LOOT

Bags of Registered Mail Found—Suspects in Custody Not Yet Identified as Robbers

Omaha, Neb., May 28.—The police of South Omaha and Omaha have been busy following every clue that promised to furnish identification of the men arrested last night on suspicion of being the Union Pacific train robbers but little progress had been made up to noon. The belief that the right men have been caught is still strong, but the link connecting them with the guns, masks and other evidences of guilt is missing.

Eight bags of registered mail, the loot of the Union Pacific train robbery, were found this afternoon in the attic of the Brown Park schoolhouse, together with the masks of the robbers. The mail had been rifled.

### Even as Jesse James.

New York, May 28.—Four armed men invaded a restaurant at 444 Seventh avenue today, held up twenty customers and made their escape. One of the robbers guarded at the door, another covered the cashier with his revolver, while the other two robbed the customers.

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### NEW SAUSAGE SCANDAL STARTLES BERLIN

Berlin, May 28.—Another "sausage scandal" has been engaging the attention of the Criminal Court here. A sausage maker named Loewy, in a very large way of business, has been fined \$250 for transporting enormous quantities of sausages made of horse flesh to Munich, Göttingen, Brunswick, and other places famous for the manufacture of the higher class sausages, having them dressed up there, and forwarding them as the real article all over Germany and to foreign countries as well.

Ordinary horse sausage worth ten cents a pound was sent to Brunswick and came back from that city as "Prime Salsami."

### Field Museum of Chicago, in the province of Luzon last March, was concluded at Bayon Bong today. Three of the natives were sentenced to death.

**The Will of H. H. Rogers.**  
New York, May 28.—The will of the late Henry H. Rogers was filed for probate here today. The testator leaves all his property to his widow, children and relatives, with the exception of \$100,000 willed to the town of Fairhaven, Mass., for the use of the primary and grammar schools of that community.

**Biggest Locomotive Order.**  
Philadelphia, Pa., May 28.—It is reported here that a contract for 105 locomotives has been placed with the Baldwin Locomotive Works by the Hariman Lines. This is the largest order placed with the local firm since the panic of 1907, although previously orders of that size were not infrequent.

### ERIE COUNTY OFFICER IS UNDER ARREST

Back Tax Clerk Accused of Being Implicated in Fraud With the Cashier

Buffalo, N.Y., May 28.—Word was received here last night that Samuel W. Hofheins, back tax clerk in the Erie County treasurer's office has been placed under arrest at Gladwin, Mich. Hofheins is alleged to have been implicated with Cashier Weed in the embezzlement of \$36,000 of the county funds.

Both men, it is claimed by the county treasurer, confessed to him and handed over cash and securities to cover the full amount the books show to be missing. The readiness with which the money was produced caused comment, and it was rumored last night that the full amount of the

### COST OF DRILL IS TO BE REDUCED

Ottawa, May 28.—It is announced in militia orders that in order to keep the expenditure on drill within the amount voted by parliament, the cost of drill this year will be reduced. The reduction will be based on the average numbers trained in each unit during the past five years.

None of following will train: Cavalry paymasters, regimental quartermaster sergeants, signalling corporals and hospital corporals, artillery brigade staffs, brigade quartermaster sergeants, orderly room sergeants and hospital corps infantry paymaster sergeants, stretcher bearers, sergeants, drum majors and signalling corporals.



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## ENGINEER HURT BY GEORGIA MOB

First Violence Occurs in Strike—Race Question More in Evidence

Atlanta, Ga., May 28.—The first violence to railroad property in the Georgia railroad firemen's strike occurred tonight to a moving freight at Lithonia, Ga., and in consequence the race question looms more sharply than ever over the situation, notwithstanding a day of much apparent progress towards settlement. A negro fireman was apparently the cause of the trouble, and he was rushed to Atlanta on an engine to save him from a threatening situation. The trouble started in the throwing of one or two stones and the boarding of the freight by two men who set the brakes and broke it into three sections. The engine about dusk, it was seen to carry a negro fireman, as did the mail train which passed Lithonia earlier in the day, exciting unfavorable comment. About two hundred people gathered at the station, and just as the train was getting under way, it is said, a stone flew in the cab window and hit Engineer Downing.

Next, according to the officials, several men on the cab set the brakes and cut off the air, causing the last car to break loose from the train. They also uncoupled the engine, leaving its load stalled. According to the railroad statement, no attempt was made by the local authorities to interfere with the attack. It is believed that the railroad authorities will attempt to clear the tracks at Lithonia for the mail train early tomorrow, and that deputies will be used to protect the crews. Today brought forth almost simultaneously the possibility of speedy state or federal intervention, believed by many persons acquainted with local conditions, to be dangerous on account of race trouble. It is admitted that either federal or state authorities can run the trains and preserve armed order, but if the railroad insisted on its rights to hire negroes as firemen it is feared that

race enmity and reprisals on negroes will be stirred up in regions remote from the railroad tracks.

The coming here of Chairman Knapp of the Interstate commerce commission, tomorrow, is regarded as indicating that federal intervention will take place if the strike is prolonged. The status of arbitration for settlement had remained unchanged all day. Tonight it was reported that there was talk of holding mass meetings at several places to voice indignation at the railroad's action in putting negroes today on what the public has dubbed "neutral trains."

Under assurances of the postoffice officials it was announced at midnight that the engineers will, tomorrow, handle the mail trains on the Georgia railroad.

### Siberian Town Burned

Tomsk, Siberia, May 28.—Fire which broke out on May 25th at Novo Nikolaiivsk, destroyed over 800 houses.

### Strikers Must Stay Out.

Paris, May 28.—The Chamber of Deputies today, by a vote of 338 to 141, rejected a motion for the reinstatement of the postal employees who were discharged from their positions because of their connection with the recent strikes.

### Chinese Feud.

Amoy, China, May 28.—Fighting among the clans has been resumed in Heuwah district, sixty-five miles north of Amoy, and is interfering seriously with local business. The trouble began three years ago, because of the abduction of a bride.

### Immorality in Havana.

Havana, May 28.—There has been a marked increase in immoral performances at the theatres of Havana, accompanied by a general spread of vice and an outbreak of gambling, since the American war came to an end. In order to counteract these tendencies, a meeting was held last night at the residence of Bishop Estrada. Many prominent citizens were present, and a society for the prevention of vice was formed.

### Would Hurry Senate

Philadelphia, May 28.—Speaker Joseph Cannon, on an automobile sight-seeing trip, was tendered a reception at Norristown today and made a characteristic speech. He said clergyman should pray for a temperature of 96 degrees in the shade in order to hurry the senate to pass the tariff bill.

### Divinity Student Hangs Himself

Oakland, Cal., May 28.—Oscar Moebus, a divinity student, 17 years of age, hanged himself this morning in the California divinity college. The young man had for the third time been accused of stealing from other students, and was confined in the garret awaiting trial before the board of directors.

## SUBVENTIONS FOR STEAMSHIP SERVICES

Money Voted for Current Year to Assist Lines Operating From Canadian Ports

H. B. Jaynes, editor of the Pacific Marine Review, who is visiting Ottawa, sends a report of the supply votes for the year ending March 31, 1910, totalling \$1,854,80.

For steamboat service between Canada and Australia.....\$180,509  
For ocean and mail service between Great Britain and Canada.....600,000  
This is an increase of \$50,000  
For steamboat service between Canada and Mexico, Atlantic and Pacific Coasts.....100,000  
For steamboat service between Canada and New Zealand.....50,000  
For steam communication between Canada and South Africa.....146,500  
For Canada and Liverpool, Eng. For steam service between Montreal, Quebec and Manchester, Eng.....35,000  
For a line of steamers to run between St. John, Halifax, and London.....40,000  
For a line of steamers to run between St. John and Halifax, or either, to the West Indies and South America.....8,700  
For steam service between Victoria, B. C., and San Francisco.....3,000  
Steam service between Victoria and Vancouver, way ports and Skagway.....12,500  
Steam service between Victoria and West Coast of Vancouver Island.....5,000

Additional Canada-China and Japan.....48,666  
Specially authorized by statute Canada-China and Japan.....73,000  
Canada and France.....200,000  
This includes an increase of \$66,000, and is also specially authorized by statute.

### Jeff Scores on Jim.

Chicago, May 28.—James J. Jeffries scored another victory over his old rival, J. J. Corbett, at the South Side ball park yesterday, when the Jeffries team defeated Corbett's nine, 8 to 6. The game was close until the last inning when Jeffries broke up the affair with a slashing tripple with the bases full.

## RESULTS AT EPSOM

Epsom, May 28.—The Oaks stakes of 500 sovereigns for three-year-old fillies, distance one mile and a half, was run here today and won by Perola, owned by W. Cooper. His Majesty's Princess De Gales was second and J. B. Joel's Verne third. Fourteen horses ran. The Acorn stakes of 100 sovereigns for two-year-old fillies, distance five furlongs, was won by Yellow Slave. Minstrelia was second and The Judge third. Among the ten starters was H. I. Whitney's Arness.

## RESULTS AT THE WOODBINE

Toronto, May 28.—First race, Strathcona purse, five hundred dollars added for maidens 3 and 4 year olds, six furlongs, Shore Lark, 100 (McCarty), 7 to 2, 7 to 5, and 1 to 2, won; Croydon, 112 (Deverich), 5 to 2, won, and 1 to 2, second; Devonson, 106 (Montory), 8 to 1, 3 to 1, and 8 to 5, third. Time 1:16.2-5. Also ran: Miledna, Searchlight, Southern Bride, Gwendolyn F., Lady Orina, Ruby Bird, Sprite, Peep-in.

## CLOVERDALES WILL MEET FAST CAPITALS

The well known Capital baseball team will play the crack Cloverdales on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock at

the bottom of Fernwood Road, in Richmond Park.

As G. White, the captain of the Capital team has got his team in good trim a fast game is anticipated. If F. Brynjolfson, the well known sprinter, plays anything like he did a few Sundays ago at Cloverdale at right field, he should play an excellent game. The line-up of the Capitals is as follows:

G. White, p.; S. Behnson, c.; C. James, 1b.; N. Croghan, 2b.; E. Irving, s.s.; B. Milne, 3b.; A. Simpson, c.f.; F. Brynjolfson, r.f.

## CALEDONIA NINE DEFEATS BEAVERS

A baseball game was played at the Central park grounds on Thursday evening between the Caledonia baseball team and the Beavers. The first innings was about even. The ballgame went up in the fourth inning, when the Caledonia nine won by a score of sixteen to four. Ward and Townsley made several home runs.

### Get Full Pay

Pittsburg, May 28.—More than 3,000 men employed in the Homestead steel plant received the full pay envelopes today for the first time in eighteen months. The payroll amounted to \$200,000.

An Associated Press dispatch today from Detroit says that the release of Claud Rossman, the big first baseman, is for sale. Rossman's showing of late has been poor. He never was much of a fielder, and has never been accused of thinking more than twice during a game, but his ability to slug the ball held him, his job.

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WOMEN'S COSTUME, in fine French Panama. Colors, Navy, light green and brown. Coat  $\frac{3}{4}$  length, and smartly trimmed with cord and buttons. Roll collar, cuffs and outside pockets piped with satin. Lined throughout with silk. Skirt circular cut and trimmed to match coat. Regular values up to \$37.50, for..... **\$25.00**

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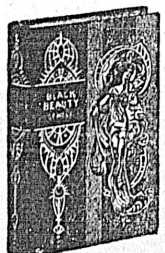
WOMEN'S COSTUME, in blue with fine white stripe,  $\frac{3}{4}$  length square cut coat. Collar of French braid with long satin streamers. Seams piped with satin and finished with clusters of buttons. Lined throughout with silk. Skirt circular cut with trimmings to match coat. Regular value up to \$55 for..... **\$35.00**

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